

## PRAGUE REPORTS BOMBING BY NAZI PLANES

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The Yank fighting man has already cast the shadow of defeat over  
Japan, but giving substance to the shadow will require long months  
of hard fighting by him and hard work by the home front. The  
photo above is a poster displayed in all hotels of the Army Ground  
and Service Forces Redistribution Station, where veterans of the  
European war will be reprocessed for new service in the Pacific.

217 Grade School Students  
To Present Operetta Friday

A cast of 217 grade school  
youngsters, having rehearsed for  
the last three months will present  
an operetta, "Tom Tit Tot," in the  
High school auditorium at 8 p. m.  
Thursday and Friday nights.

Directed by Mrs. Ellis Satterth-  
waite, the production represents  
the combined talents of all five  
public grade schools. Principals

from each school have taken charge  
of the various committees in pre-  
paration for the affair and High  
school and Junior High school  
students have assisted with the  
stage settings.

A matinee for the grade school  
students was held in the auditor-  
ium this afternoon.

**The Cast**  
Rosabelle — Wilma Firestone;  
King, John Schmid; Sara—Ruth  
Reese; Bess—Sally Jo Dornon;  
Mothers—Colleen Kirby, Eva May  
Hanna, Marilyn Burns.

Jesters — George Vaughn, George  
Barthel, Charles Dan;  
Crier—Dean Horton; Gnome—  
Bob Zimmerman; Toad—Donald  
Stout; Guards—Phillip Crowe,  
Gary Greenstein, Dick Brautigam,  
Don Howell, Myron Riegal, Jim  
Coscarea; Herald—George Rohrer.

Ladies of the court—Jean Gar-  
lock, Lois Ann Smith, Ann Mont-  
gomery, Shirley Hilliard, Delores  
Buta, Mary Lou Hively, Donna Nannah,  
Ann Ruffer, Judy Jackson, Dorothy  
Poznick, Mary Jane Tullian, Jeanne  
Wacksmith, Nancy Scallion, Bar-  
bara Martin.

Maids — Georgia Allison, Sally  
Moore, Janet Critchfield, Joyce  
Blaine, Marlene Yunk, Shirley Mc-  
Knight, Lynn Patterson, Glennale  
Harris, Shirley Greenawalt, Ann  
Mawhinney, Bonnie Campbell,  
Eileen Jackson, Barbara Conkle,  
Dorothy Alesi, Nancy Miller, Carol  
Coy, Joyce Kops, Barbara Miller.

Villagers—Joseph Winkler, Wil-  
liam Schuller, Millie Maier, Joan  
Domencetti, Kenneth Hepler, Wil-  
liam Bennett, Carol Wilde, Jack  
Gottschling, Carolyn Hoopes, Mar-  
garet Hunter, Homer Veon, Lavetta  
Clark, Matt Klein.

John Tarzan, John Brautigam,  
Nancy Stein, Rita Kinn, Katharine  
Unbach, Galen Groves, Barbara  
Trimmer, Helen Galchick, Michael  
Lutsch, Phillip Bishop, Gary Pax-  
son, Nancy Heidenreich, Rosalie  
Tausch, Ann Stowe.

William Breilh, Carl Wright,  
Jacqueline Parker, Patricia De-  
Wan, Helen Gottschling, Lee Lep-

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3 SALEM VETERANS  
DUE HOME SHORTLY

Three Salem soldiers—one a for-  
mer German prisoner, another with  
29 months of active tank warfare  
in Europe and another who had  
been reported missing in action in  
Europe—will be home soon on fur-  
loigns.

All are expected to arrive at Camp  
Atterbury, Ind., this week.

They are:

Pfc. Julius Sandusky, whose wife  
lives at 110 W. Second st., previ-  
ously a German war prisoner. He  
was liberated a month ago.

\* Technician Fourth Grade Michael  
Fritzman, son of Mrs. Anna Fritz-  
man, 601 Arch st., who served in  
an armored tank battalion in Eu-  
rope for 29 months.

Pfc. Charles E. Kille, son of Mrs.  
Arline Hawkins, 441 N. Howard ave.,  
who was missing in action until  
several weeks ago.

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Are Captured By Americans

(By Associated Press)  
PARIS, May 9.—Reichsmarshal  
Hermann Goering and Field Mar-  
shal Albert Kesselring have been  
taken in custody of the United  
States Seventh army.

A Sixth army group announce-  
ment quoted Goering as saying he  
had been sentenced to death April  
24 for suggesting that he take over  
leadership of the Reich from Hitler.

Goering's wife and child were  
taken into custody with him.

Kesselring was the last German  
commander in chief of the Western  
front. He was shifted from Italy to  
succeed Field Marshal Von Rund-  
stedt, captured earlier by the  
Seventh army.

The corpulent 51-year-old Goer-  
ing is the self-styled "most faithful  
paladin of the Fuehrer" and had  
been designated by Hitler as his  
successor. But that was before the  
Reichsmarshal fell from favor in  
the closing months of Nazi Ger-  
many. He is one of the world's  
greatest collectors of medals, uni-  
forms and art—the latter largely  
pillered from countries which Ger-  
many overran.

Among other things, he was Prus-  
sian prime minister, minister of  
aviation, president of the Reich-  
stag, minister of forestry, Reich's  
master of the hunt, director of the  
Prussian state theaters and opera,  
president of the German academy  
of aviation, director of foreign  
exchange and raw materials and  
plenipotentiary in charge of the  
four-year plan.

His arrested wife was the blonde,  
blue-eyed former actress, Emmy  
Sonnenmann, who in earlier days  
was Hitler's leading hostess.

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RECONVERSION  
TO START NOW  
ON SLOW SCALE

War-time Controls Stick  
Until Japan Is Beat-  
en, Vinson Says

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, May 9.—War-time  
controls over production, rationing  
and pricing will be continued until  
Japan is defeated, the administra-  
tion said today, but "some recon-  
version will start immediately."

Highlights of the program, as out-  
lined at a White House news con-  
ference by War Mobilizer Fred M.  
Vinson:

1. Immediate suspension of the  
ban on horse and dog racing, and  
lifting of the midnight entertain-  
ment curfew, effective tonight.

**Few New Cars**  
2. Release of enough materials  
and manpower, no longer needed for  
the Pacific war, to produce a few  
new automobiles within six to nine  
months.

3. Some prospect of an early in-  
crease in gasoline allowances for  
civilian motorists.

4. Vinson said he saw no indica-  
tions of any early general improve-  
ment in the civilian food supply  
situation.

5. No general reduction in taxes  
until final victory is won.

On the civilian production front,  
Vinson said that generally speaking  
"materials and manpower no longer  
pre-empted for war will be freed  
for civilian production."

As to the armed forces, he said:  
"Prosecution of the war against  
Japan must take precedence over  
all considerations, but men and  
women who can be spared from the  
army will be demobilized." The  
Navy does not plan to demobilize  
until Japan has been defeated, he  
added.

He said the Army expects to re-  
duce its strength by 1,300,000 in the  
next 12 months but this will have  
to be done slowly at first because:  
"First priority on shipping must be  
assigned to the men and material  
going to the Pacific."

Vinson would not predict how  
long the war in the Pacific will  
last.

**Public Support Needed**  
In a report entitled "The War  
Phase 2," released by the news  
conference, Vinson declared:  
"All our effort toward war, and  
toward production, will be needed  
up to the last instant."

This report said the major home  
front battle will continue to de-  
mand strongest public support  
against inflation and rising prices  
and added that a wage stabilization  
policy must be maintained during  
the reconversion period "to avoid a  
postwar inflationary trend which  
might destroy wage standards."

As to gasoline, Vinson said his  
best estimate is that there will be  
from 100,000 to 200,000 more barrels  
available daily for civilian use—an  
increase of 8 to 16 per cent—as a  
result of the European victory. He  
said even this increase may be  
only temporary.

Added gasoline supplies will be  
divided among A and commercial  
vehicles.

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Continue Inquiry  
Into Fatal Fight

LISBON, May 9.—Sheriff George  
Hayes and Coroner Ernest Sturgis  
questioned five witnesses last night  
in connection with the death of  
Claude N. Pettigrew, 49, who died  
yesterday of head injuries suffered  
in a fight at a party in Lisbon  
Saturday night.

Hayes Wright, 56, of New Water-  
ford, is being held in county jail  
on an open charge by the coroner.

Pettigrew, who was left on a bed  
from 9 p. m. Saturday until 9 a. m.  
Sunday without medical attention,  
was involved in a fist fight with  
Wright early Saturday evening. The  
fight, witnesses have disclosed, be-  
came general among the party.

At first it was believed Pettigrew's  
head had been bashed against a  
table or chair in the brawl, but the  
autopsy last night led officials to  
believe he had been struck with a  
blunt instrument. His head was  
badly fractured.

Wright told authorities he had  
hit Pettigrew with his fists but had  
used no weapon. Sheriff Hayes said  
the fracture could not have been  
caused by a fist beating.

The two men were said to have  
been fighting over a woman, Mrs.  
Ethel Santula Stewart, who was a  
guest at the party.

Funeral service for Pettigrew will  
be held at the home of his nephew,  
William Pettigrew, at 2:30 p. m.  
Thursday, in charge of Rev. Theo-  
dore Cord. Burial will be in the  
Lisbon cemetery.

Friends may call at the home  
this evening.

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Ratify Pact  
In Berlin As  
War Is Ended

[BULLETIN]  
LONDON, May 9.—Premier-Marshal Stalin tonight an-  
nounced liberation of Prague.

(By The Associated Press)  
LONDON, May 9.—A station calling itself the Prague radio said  
today Russian troops had entered the Czechoslovak capital and that  
German planes bombed the city and three other points in the republic  
shortly afterward.

Hostilities in Europe officially ended at 12:01 a. m. battlefront time.  
At about the same time the Germans surrendered the three French  
Atlantic ports and U-boat bases of Lorient, St. Nazaire and La Rochelle.  
A French communique said they had been occupied. The only Germans  
remaining unsundered on French soil were some 12,000 at Dunkerque,  
the channel port through which the British expeditionary force escaped  
in 1940.

About 79,000 Germans were believed to have yielded in the three  
sundered ports.

Russia joyously proclaimed the  
unconditional surrender of Ger-  
many before dawn, 10 hours after  
President Truman and Prime Min-  
ister Churchill proclaimed V-E day  
following Germany's capitulation at  
Gen. Eisenhower's advanced head-  
quarters at Reims in France early  
Monday. A formal ratification of  
the surrender took place in Berlin  
yesterday.

Actions such as the reported last  
gasps at Prague are outlawed un-  
der surrender edicts, and German  
participants may be treated as  
franc-tireurs—subject to summary  
execution.

The unconfirmed Czechoslovak  
broadcast said Prague and three  
other points in Czechoslovakia were  
attacked by air. Melnik, Kralupy  
and a Jewish concentration camp at  
Terezin, 40 miles north of Prague,  
were said to have been bombed.

**German Trick?**  
The station did not say where  
the German planes came from.

The possibility was not overlooked  
that the entire situation might be  
a German trick in an attempt to get  
the Western Allies to attack the  
Russians.

The patriot radio earlier said  
last-ditch Nazi SS fanatics re-  
opened fire at 1:50 a. m. (7:50 p. m.,  
Eastern War time Tuesday), almost  
two hours after the agreed dead-  
line for cessation of hostilities.

Later, the station calling itself  
the Prague radio broadcast a mes-  
sage to Czech President Eduard  
Benes saying "the city of Prague  
and surrounding country has been  
cleared of German occupants and  
we will rejoice at your return to  
the capital." Benes' government  
presently is at Kosice (Kassa) in  
Slovakia.

"All the German forces" have  
capitulated," the same station said.

The Czech government monitor in  
London heard the station assert  
that Melnik had been bombed three  
times. German tanks were said to  
have moved through Prague shoot-  
ing at civilians. Czech air force  
members were ordered to report  
immediately. Citizens were asked to  
clear street barricades so Rus-  
sian tanks might roll through the  
city of 848,823—last city of com-  
parable to be under German domina-  
tion since the Russians captured  
Dresden.

The radio voice said the all clear  
was sounded in Prague in the after-  
noon.

**Final Humiliation**  
The Luxembourg radio quoted  
"one of Russian Marshal Ivan S.  
Konev's officers in Prague" as  
saying:

"Our troops have come to Prague  
to liberate the gallant Czech people,  
a people so near to the heart of  
the Russian people. We have not  
come to force upon you any form  
of government. The Czechs are good  
patriots and are able to govern  
themselves."

The final humiliation was de-  
livered yesterday to the Nazi regime.  
No more striking evidence of the  
totality of German defeat could  
have been conceived than the cere-  
mony amid the wreckage of Berlin,  
where the surrender was ratified.

There Field Marshal Wilhelm  
Keitel, chief of the German general  
staff, and his aides met with Allied  
and Russian representatives. Air  
Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder  
for Britain, Gen. Carl Spaatz for  
the United States, Marshal Gregory  
K. Zhukov for Soviet Russia, and  
Gen. DeTassigny for the French.

These Allied military leaders were  
victors in the fullest sense. Tedder

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Temperatures

SALEM WEATHER REPORT	Max	Min.
Yesterday, noon	55	37
Yesterday, 6 p. m.	56	38
Midnight	43	37
Today, 6 a. m.	37	37
Today, noon	47	37
Maximum	57	37
Minimum	35	35
Year Ago Today	64	35
Maximum	64	35
Minimum	56	35

NATION-WIDE REPORT

	Max	Min.
Yest. Night		
Akron	60	37
Birmingham	72	52
Bismarck	44	25
Buffalo	63	37
Chicago	54	32
Cincinnati	66	44
Cleveland	57	37
Columbus	63	38
Dayton	69	38
Denver	51	37
Detroit	54	37
Duluth	38	25
Fort Worth	68	40
Huntington, W. Va.	70	40
Indianapolis	57	35
Kansas City	52	42
Los Angeles	64	55
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The Yank fighting man has already cast the shadow of defeat over Japan, but giving substance to the shadow will require long months of hard fighting by him and hard work by the home front. The photo above is a poster displayed in all hotels of the Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station, where veterans of the European war will be reprocessed for new service in the Pacific.

217 Grade School Students  
To Present Operetta Friday

A cast of 217 grade school youngsters, having rehearsed for the last three months will present an operetta, "Tom Tit Tot," in the High school auditorium at 8 p. m. Thursday and Friday nights.

Directed by Mrs. Ellis Satterthwaite, the production represents the combined talents of all five public grade schools. Principals

49 NAVY MEN DIE  
IN MYSTERY BLAST

(By Associated Press)  
CAPE ELIZABETH, Me. May 9.—A Navy court of inquiry today was investigating a mysterious explosion which shattered a Navy Eagle boat and took the lives of 49 men three miles offshore April 23.

Details of New England's worst naval disaster of the war were re-  
leased by the Navy last night as  
Capt. Ernest J. Freeman, USNR,  
commanding officer of the U. S.  
naval station, Portland, led an in-  
vestigation into the incident.

Surviving were "the lucky 13,"  
only members of the crew of the  
patrol ship PE-56 to escape.

They told vivid stories of the  
sudden blast which came at 12:14  
p. m. during a noon lull in target  
practice maneuvers.

Some were trapped below decks.  
Others struggled through debris-  
cluttered passageways and plunged  
into the frigid waters of the Atlan-  
tic before the 430-ton vessel sank.

The few survivors who were  
picked up 17 minutes later, were  
reported suffering from internal in-  
juries, cuts, shock and immersion.

The survivors included Machin-  
ist's Mate 3/c Cletus J. Frane of  
Convoy O.

Japan More Determined  
To Fight On, Tokyo Says

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—The  
Japanese government announced  
today the collapse of Germany  
"will not bring the slightest  
change" in Japan's determination  
to fight to the finish.

This was reported by Tokyo  
radio which simultaneously an-  
nounced new preparations to meet  
an invasion of the home islands.  
Broadcasts said the army sim-  
plified its "air defense conscrip-  
tion" in order to prepare for the pos-  
sibility of our mainland become a  
battlefield. Another said bar-  
ricade would be constructed through-  
out the nation "in the event of  
an enemy landing on Japan proper."

Held For Murder

CANTON, May 9.—A Stark coun-  
ty grand jury returned a second de-  
gree murder indictment yesterday  
against John Henry Lester, 45, in  
connection with the death of Reuben  
Butler, 45, on May 2 of injuries  
received in a fight five days pre-  
viously.

WANTED!  
WOMEN FOR KITCHEN HELP.  
WAITRESSES; ALSO MAID.  
APPLY HOTEL LAPE

Goering, Marshal Kesselring  
Are Captured By Americans

(By Associated Press)  
PARIS, May 9.—Reichsmarshal  
Hermann Goering and Field Mar-  
shal Albert Kesselring have been  
taken in custody of the United  
States Seventh army.

A Sixth army group announce-  
ment quoted Goering as saying he  
had been sentenced to death April  
24 for suggesting that he take over  
leadership of the Reich from Hitler.  
Goering's wife and child were  
taken into custody with him.

Kesselring was the last German  
commander in chief of the Western  
front. He was shifted from Italy to  
succeed Field Marshal Von Rund-  
stedt, captured earlier by the  
Seventh army.

The corpulent 51-year-old Goer-  
ing is the self-styled "most faithful  
paladin of the Fuehrer" and had  
been designated by Hitler as his  
successor. But that was before the  
Reichsmarshal fell from favor in  
the closing months of Nazi Ger-  
many. He is one of the world's  
greatest collectors of medals, uni-  
forms and art—the latter largely  
pilfered from countries which Ger-  
many overrun.

Among other things, he was Prus-  
sian prime minister, minister of  
aviation, president of the Reich-  
stag, minister of forestry, Reich's  
master of the hunt, director of the  
Prussian state theaters and opera,  
president of the German academy  
of aviation, director over foreign  
exchange and raw materials and  
plenipotentiary in charge of the  
four-year plan.

His arrested wife was the blonde,  
blue-eyed former actress, Emmy  
Sonnenmann, who in earlier days  
was Hitler's leading hostess.

Staffs At 3 Salem  
Plants Stay On Job  
Despite V-E Day

V-E day's effect on Salem indus-  
trial workers varied yesterday as  
some plants reported a complete  
shutdown after the 9 a. m. procla-  
mation by President Truman and  
others said their workers remained  
on the job 100 per cent.

One of the most creditable re-  
ports came from the Quaker City  
foundry, where the entire force re-  
mained on the job throughout the  
day.

Work schedules and employees  
also remained intact throughout the  
day at the Gonda Engineering Co.  
plant and at the Columbia Lamp  
works, where the all female staff  
was rewarded with an "ice cream  
treat" for staying on the job.

Mullins Mfg. Corp. employees took  
the day off, as did a large per cent-  
age of the Salem China Co. em-  
ployees. At the Bliss Co. 10 workers  
out of some 250 in the shop, walked  
out when the Victory was confirm-  
ed. A few more left at noon.

Officials at the National Sanitary  
Co., the Electric Furnace Co. and  
several other shops said a few  
workers drifted away during the  
day, but that schedules were ad-  
hered to in the majority of in-  
stances.

At the Deming Co., the trend was  
to leave work sometime during the  
day, until at 4 p. m. only about 25  
per cent of the workers were still  
present. The night shift, however,  
reported "en masse" and stayed  
right at their jobs. G. R. Deming,  
president said today.

Salem's downtown section seem-  
ed deserted yesterday afternoon as  
a "Sunday" atmosphere prevailed.  
Concerts by the Old Timers band on  
street corners in the business sec-  
tion drew small mid-afternoon  
crowds.

DESTROY 300 JAP  
PLANES IN RAIDS

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, May 9.—Super-  
fortresses have destroyed more than  
300 Japanese planes during the last  
three weeks in raids upon 17  
enemy airfields within range of  
American forces on Okinawa, the  
War department reported today.

Striking at the rate of once  
every 36 hours, the Marianas-based  
B-29s also have wrecked or seriously  
damaged repair and supply facilities  
at the fields on Kyushu and Shikoku  
islands.

Photographs show, the Army said,  
that hangars, repair shops, supply  
and storage buildings and bar-  
acks have been destroyed. Large  
holes also have been blown in run-  
ways, making them temporarily use-  
less.

Window Fall Is Fatal

ALLIANCE, May 9.—Jack Conner,  
45, son of Mr. and Mrs. John  
Conner, injured in a fall from an  
upstairs window at his home three  
days ago, died yesterday in City  
hospital. Three brothers and two  
sisters also survive.

Truman Signs Bill  
Extending Draft Law

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Presi-  
dent Truman today signed legisla-  
tion extending the Selective Service  
the continuation of military opera-  
tions against Japan.

The President said he signed the  
bill extending the military draft a  
year from May 15 (or until the war  
has ended on all fronts) with re-  
luctance because he did not wish his  
action to be interpreted as ex-  
pressing concern with a section  
of the legislation, placing "added  
restrictions on the War and Navy  
departments in their management  
of the fighting forces."

The measure, as passed by con-  
gress, prohibits the use of 17-year  
olds in combat unless they have  
had at least six months of training.

RECONVERSION  
TO START NOW  
ON SLOW SCALE

Wartime Controls Stick  
Until Japan Is Beat-  
en, Vinson Says

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, May 9.—War-time  
controls over production, rationing  
and pricing will be continued until  
Japan is defeated, the administra-  
tion said today, but "some recon-  
version will start immediately."

Highlights of the program, as out-  
lined at a White House news con-  
ference by War Mobilizer Fred M.  
Vinson:

1. Immediate suspension of the  
ban on horse and dog racing, and  
lifting of the midnight entertain-  
ment curfew, effective tonight.

2. Release of enough materials  
and manpower, no longer needed for  
the Pacific war, to produce a few  
new automobiles within six to nine  
months.

3. Some prospect of an early in-  
crease in gasoline allowances for  
civilian motorists.

4. Vinson said he saw no indica-  
tions of any early general improve-  
ment in the civilian food supply  
situation.

5. No general reduction in taxes  
until final victory is won.

On the civilian production front,  
Vinson said that generally speaking  
"materials and manpower no longer  
pre-empted for war will be freed  
for civilian production."

As to the armed forces, he said:  
"Prosecution of the war against  
Japan must take precedence over  
all considerations, but men and  
women who can be spared from the  
army will be demobilized."

The Navy does not plan to demobilize  
until Japan has been defeated, he  
added.

He said the Army expects to re-  
duce its strength, by 1,300,000 in the  
next 12 months but this will have  
to be done slowly at first because  
"first priority on shipping must be  
assigned to the men and material  
going to the Pacific."

Vinson would not predict how  
long the war in the Pacific will  
last.

Public Support Needed

In a report entitled "The War  
Phase 2," released by the news  
conference, Vinson declared:

"All our effort toward war, and  
toward production, will be needed  
up to the last instant."

This report said the major home  
front battle will continue to de-  
mand strongest public support  
against inflation and rising prices  
and added that a wage stabilization  
policy must be maintained during  
the reconversion period "to avoid a  
postwar deflationary trend which  
might destroy wage standards."

As to gasoline, Vinson said his  
best estimate is that there will be  
from 100,000 to 200,000 more barrels  
available daily for civilian use—an  
increase of 8 to 16 per cent—as a  
result of the European victory. He  
said even this increase may be  
only temporary.

Added gasoline supplies will be  
divided among A and commercial  
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Continue Inquiry  
Into Fatal Fight

LISBON, May 9.—Sheriff George  
Hayes and Coroner Ernest Sturges  
questioned five witnesses last night  
in connection with the death of  
Claude N. Pettigrew, 49, who died  
yesterday of head injuries suffered  
in a fight at a party in Lisbon  
Saturday night.

Harley Wright, 56, of New Water-  
ford, is being held in county jail  
on an open charge by the coroner.

Pettigrew, who was left on a bed  
from 9 p. m. Saturday until 9 a. m.  
Sunday without medical attention,  
was involved in a fist fight with  
Wright early Saturday evening. The  
fight, witnesses have disclosed, be-  
came general among the party.

At first it was believed Pettigrew's  
head had been bashed against a  
table or chair in the brawl, but the  
autopsy last night led officials to  
believe he had been struck with a  
blunt instrument. His head was  
badly fractured.

Wright told authorities he had  
hit Pettigrew with his fists but had  
used no weapon. Sheriff Hayes said  
the fracture could not have been  
caused by a fist beating.

The two men were said to have  
been fighting over a woman, Mrs.  
Ethel Santula Stewart, who was a  
guest at the party.

Funeral service for Pettigrew will  
be held at the home of his nephew,  
William Pettigrew, at 2:30 p. m.  
Thursday in charge of Rev. Theo-  
dore Cord. Burial will be in the  
Lisbon cemetery.

Friends may call at the home  
this evening.

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Ratify Pact  
In Berlin As  
War Is Ended

(BULLETIN)  
LONDON, May 9.—Premier-Marshal Stalin tonight an-  
nounced liberation of Prague.

(By The Associated Press)  
LONDON, May 9.—A station calling itself the Prague radio said  
today Russian troops had entered the Czechoslovak capital and that  
German planes bombed the city and three other points in the republic  
shortly afterward.

Hostilities in Europe officially ended at 12:01 a. m. battlefront time.  
At about the same time the Germans surrendered the three French  
Atlantic ports and U-boat bases of Lorient, St. Nazaire and La Rochelle.  
A French communique said they had been occupied. The only Germans  
remaining unsundered on French soil were some 12,000 at Dunkerque,  
the channel port through which the British expeditionary force escaped  
in 1940.

About 79,000 Germans were believed to have yielded in the three  
surrendered ports.

CURFEW LAW  
IS ABOLISHED

Midnight Ban Lifted As  
Is Order Against Dog  
and Horse Racing

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, May 9.—Immedi-  
ate lifting of the midnight enter-  
tainment curfew and the ban on  
horse and dog racing was announced  
today.

Fred M. Vinson, director of war  
mobilization and reconversion, said  
that the action was effective as of  
today and quipped:

"The curfew shall not ring to-  
night."  
He told a news conference that  
the lifting of the ban on race meets  
did not affect restrictions of the  
Office of Defense Transportation  
on the shipment of race horses, and  
referred inquiries respecting these  
restrictions to ODT officials.

At ODT, it was stated that the  
lifting of the racing ban will be  
followed up by an order from ODT  
permitting the shipment of horses,  
but it was emphasized that travel  
restrictions in effect prior to the  
ban will continue.

"The set-up will be just the same  
as before the ban," an ODT of-  
ficial said.

This means race tracks will be  
expected to cooperate in keeping  
such major events as the Kentucky  
Derby on a "trolley-car" basis, with  
no special trains or extra equip-  
ment authorized.

The agency said special trains  
could not be authorized because of  
the general transportation system.  
Because of the re-deployment of  
troops from Europe to the war in  
Asia, ODT predicts that the travel  
situation in the next 12 to 15 months  
will be the most critical so far.

Today's action means that rac-  
ing's "triple crown"—the Kentucky  
Derby, the Preakness and the Bel-  
mont stakes—will be run this spring  
and summer.

The Derby probably will be held  
June 2 or 9 with the Preakness the  
next Saturday and the Belmont  
stakes two weeks later.

Junior High Musical  
Program Is Enjoyed

The annual Junior High school  
concert, featuring the school or-  
chestra, chorus and several special-  
ty numbers, was well received by an  
appreciative audience in the High  
school auditorium last evening fol-  
lowing the V-E day service.

The orchestra, directed by Wal-  
ter F. Rezel, and the chorus, led  
by Miss Doris Tellow, presented a  
varied program of patriotic, classi-  
cal and novelty numbers.

The program was presented in  
conjunction with the Salem ob-  
servance of National Music week.

Pfc. Paul H. Clapsaddle  
Is Wounded In Pacific

Pfc. Paul H. Clapsaddle, 20, son  
of Mrs. Marcella Clapsaddle, R. D.  
5, Lisbon, has been wounded in  
action, his mother was informed by  
the War department yesterday.

A former employee of the Deming  
Co. here, Pfc. Clapsaddle was serv-  
ing with the 96th division, 289d  
Infantry, when wounded. He is in  
a hospital in the Marianas and  
will be unable to return to his com-  
pany for some time, the message  
said. He suffered chest wounds.  
He entered service Nov. 11, 1943,  
and went overseas in March, 1944.

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## Three Horsemen Ride

Only one of the Four Horsemen has been stopped in their ride over Europe. War has come to its end but Famine, Pestilence and Death ride on and the world's job will not be finished until these, too, are brought under control.

All of them are immediate problems which do not end with the declaration of V-E day and which the United States played its great part in bringing the war to a victorious conclusion it cannot escape its obligation to humanity in carrying on until the remaining horsemen are driven from the face of the earth.

All are immediate and pressing problems but Famine is the foremost since the others are so closely allied with it. When famine is ended pestilence will be brought under control and death will return to its normal rate after its orgy.

A report from Supreme Allied headquarters on food conditions in Europe probably takes the darkest view of the situation but it is still very bad. Never self-supporting in food, Europe faces all kinds of handicaps and certainly will need help from more favored parts of the world. The condition, however, is not without hope.

There is still time for the growing of much food in European fields. It is too late for grain but, fortunately, this and many other countries are well supplied with cereals and can make large shipments without curtailing the domestic supply.

It will take years to build up Europe's meat supply because much of the stock was slaughtered by the invaders. Transportation is a problem and in some places, notably Holland, much fertile land has been ruined.

America has shown during the war years that a people can do wonders in increasing their production under handicaps and, with V-E day coming in late spring, there is still time for the people of Europe to do much toward their own salvation.

Seeds and fertilizer should have No. 1 priority among the shipment of supplies abroad. One shipload of these, used with the farming efficiency for which Europeans are noted, will raise 100 shiploads of foodstuff.

If it becomes necessary to supplement this with food, Americans will be willing to share some of their own supply but first it is up to the people of the liberated lands to settle down to their own Victory gardening on a scale which will be commensurate with the need for food. They will do their part. Hunger such as they have known for years is an incentive to food growing which will require no further urging.

## Time For Sweat and Toil

The blood and tears of the European war have ended but much of the sweat and toil are still ahead.

No more of America's sons will die in battle on European fields, God willing, but American brains and resourcefulness and energy will still be called upon to help bring order out of the ruins.

There are conflicting national ambitions to be reconciled, there are millions to be fed, there are hordes of fanatics to be taught their responsibilities to the new world and there are problems of physical and spiritual reconstruction so gigantic that they loom as large as the problems of war.

Having been compelled against every wish and prayer of the American people to cross the seas to engage in the bloodiest war in all history, this country cannot come back to its own borders while these problems are unsolved, much as it would like to do so.

There is the war with Japan to finish. Our troops have given a magnificent account of themselves while still involved in Europe. Now that our full attention can be given to the Pacific, there will be tremendous impetus in activity there.

The serious way in which America received the glad news of V-E day proves that there is full recognition of the responsibilities which lie ahead and a determination to continue whatever effort is required not only to defeat our remaining enemy but also to face and solve the obligations which remain after the arms are laid down for the tools of a world at peace.

## Meeting The Russians

Even if the Russian delegation puts over little of the program with which it came to the San Francisco conference, the trip was eminently worthwhile from the viewpoint of good press agenting which figures prominently in the American way of life although the Russians seem to know little about it.

In its relation with the rest of the world, Russia has been almost a hermit nation, traveling only when national interest demanded and not inclined to welcome visitors excepting as they came on conducted tours to see what Russia wanted to show them.

The Russians have maintained a considerable degree of seclusion at San Francisco but from the viewpoint of publicity they have almost stolen the show. Garbo did much the same thing at the height of her cinema reign.

The words that have been spoken about Commissar Molotov and his associates have not always been favorable but at least they have brought Russia into prominence as a world power more effectively than anything else that the Russians have done, excepting, of course, their magnificent accomplishments on the battlefield.

## Shellholes of Peace

Highways of the nation have been among the casualties of war. No bombs have dropped on the roads of America but they have suffered just as

surely as if an enemy had blasted them from the skies.

Roads are maintained largely by the income from automobile licenses and the tax on gasoline and these receipts have been dropping fast while manpower shortage and scarcity of materials have cut road improvements to the lowest point in many years.

Result is that the highways are in desperate need of permanent work. The state and county highway departments throughout the country have done commendable work in keeping them passable, considering all the handicaps, but the time has come when patching is inadequate. It will take a lot of permanent construction to make motoring a pleasure again in many parts of the country.

Public spending probably is inevitable when the war ends. Road building is one form of spending which comes close to giving the public its money's worth.

## From The News Files

## Forty Years Ago

The All Star bowling team defeated the Juniors of Alliance Monday evening at the Cornell alleys.

Leigh Whitney and Dr. E. J. Schwartz went to Cleveland Monday to represent the local court of Foresters at the state convention.

Mrs. C. W. Bailey of E. Green st. is in Lakeport, N. H., visiting her mother, who is seriously ill.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rollin Heaton.

Miss Rae W. Gager and William B. Alexander will be married in the Emmanuel church in Cleveland tonight.

Mrs. Alonzo Sharp of W. Main st., who suffered a slight stroke a few days ago, is slowly recovering.

Miss Ethel Switzer returned to her home at Leontia today after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ella Switzer.

Mrs. C. O. Wiler has been called to Lucas by the serious illness of her mother.

Hugh Hall and Andrew Hodge left Tuesday afternoon for Youngstown where they have accepted positions with the Youngstown Bronze Co.

## Thirty Years Ago

Dr. Archibald McLean, president of the Foreign Christian society, will speak at the Christian church Sunday.

The Elite club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Carl McConner on Fair st.

Misses Susan Hilliard and Maud Walker were hostesses to the Ruth circle of the Loyal Daughters of the Christian church Wednesday evening at the Hilliard home on McKinley ave.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Weaver of Greenford were guests Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Goodman on W. Main st.

F. F. Paxson, who has been ill at his home on Ellsworth ave. for the past two weeks, is improving.

Mrs. Grant Wise is in Canton, visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Anne Redington has returned home after spending several days in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. William B. Dorwart has sold her home on McKinley ave. to Deane S. Kintner.

Double X club members will entertain their husbands at a supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wright on Tenth st. Thursday evening.

## Twenty Years Ago

Salem athletes placed in the first four preliminary events of the county field and track meet at Lisbon Saturday morning.

Miss Lucille Bennett, senior in the Salem High school, will be crowned queen at the May day festivities of the public schools Wednesday, May 20, at Reilly field.

Lloyd Yoder of Salem, a student at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, has been elected next year's president of the student council.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeLong and daughter of Los Angeles are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Flickinger of Garfield ave.

Mrs. W. L. Burson entertained the Success club Friday evening at her home on Garfield ave.

Hustlers class of the First Friends church, taught by William Hartz, had a coverdish dinner Thursday evening at the home of Chalmers Groves, E. Fourth st.

J. M. Ashead returned Saturday morning from Collingswood, N. J., where he attended the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. Thomas Krepps, Depot st., gave a surprise birthday party for her son, Risty, Friday evening.

## The Stars Say

For Thursday, May 10.

A FAIRLY active and propitious day is read from the predominant lunar and mutual aspects, with the more solid and worthwhile gain made from a concentration of the efforts and talents on a constructive and practical basis in which the realism of facts and figures may hold more merit than shrewd, clever and impulsive attack on precarious situations. Reason, balance and good judgment, with an eye to legal entanglements, may be of value, especially where writings, contracts and communications or documents enter.

## If It Is Your Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may anticipate a lively and busy year, in which there may be hazardous and perplexing situations, perhaps in connection with writings, publicity, new contracts or agreements challenging. Shrewd analysis, application, sound judgment and a realistic evaluation of details, facts and figures, may avert legal entanglements and promote productive ends where mere force of might may fail, inviting complexity and possible intrigue or snares. Keep matters open and above board for worthwhile and lasting returns.

A child born on this day, although inclined to be hardworking, enterprising and ambitious, may encounter complex and difficult circumstances to challenge its highest endeavors. With care it may prosper.

When there were places into which to move. May used to be the month when people judged new neighbors by the furniture that went in.

Japan and Germany have found out that two of a kind beat nothing!

Being friendly with the people you meet is the easiest way to keep from being a total stranger.

Most rich men profit by the mistakes of the rest of us.

## Fisherman's Luck



## GUARDING YOUR HEALTH

## Ailments of the Esophagus

BY HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

THE esophagus is the connecting passage-way between the mouth and the stomach.

There are many disorders which may affect the esophagus. One of them is cancer. Cancer of the esophagus is seventh on the list in order of frequency of cancer among male persons.

It is important that this condition be detected early. A diagnosis can be made by the X-ray and by using an instrument known as an esophagoscope, which is a tube with lights that can be passed into the esophagus, making it possible to look directly into it.

There is no cure or cancer of the esophagus other than operation. X-ray or radium treatments will only partially destroy the growth. However, unless the disorder is diagnosed early with the esophagoscope and X-ray, operation cannot be successfully carried out.

Other Types

There are other types of tumors which may occur in the esophagus, such as fatty tumors and those made up of scar tissue. In many instances, these tumors may be present without causing any symptoms, and no treatment is necessary for them. However, if they become too large, an operation for their removal may be required.

Children, as well as adults, may accidentally swallow lye or some other corrosive substance. This will burn the lining membrane of the esophagus, and when healing takes place, scar tissue forms, which contracts and narrows the opening through the esophagus. This is called a stricture.

Most of these patients can be treated successfully by passing an instrument into the esophagus to stretch or dilate the stricture.

Doctor Edward B. Benedict of Boston suggests that one of the

sulfonamide drugs be applied to the lining membrane to help overcome the inflammation which may be present. If it is known that a person has swallowed lye or a similar substance, as soon as possible the dilating process should be carried out, in order to help keep a stricture from forming. Then the dilating treatment should be continued at intervals for several years. In a number of patients who were treated in this way, a stricture developed in only one person.

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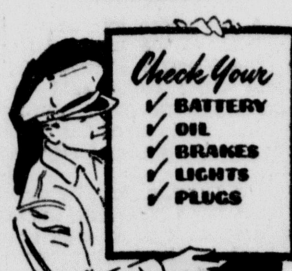
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## Three Horsemen Ride

Only one of the Four Horsemen has been stopped in their ride over Europe. War has come to its end but Famine, Pestilence and Death ride on and the world's job will not be finished until these, too, are brought under control.

All of them are immediate problems which do not end with the declaration of V-E day and as the United States played its great part in bringing the war to a victorious conclusion it cannot escape its obligation to humanity in carrying on until the remaining horsemen are driven from the face of the earth.

All are immediate and pressing problems but Famine is the foremost since the others are so closely allied with it. When famine is ended pestilence will be brought under control and death will return to its normal rate after its orgy.

A report from Supreme Allied headquarters on food conditions in Europe probably takes the darkest view of the situation but it is still very bad. Never self-supporting in food, Europe faces all kinds of handicaps and certainly will need help from more favored parts of the world. The condition, however, is not without hope.

There is still time for the growing of much food in European fields. It is too late for grain but, fortunately, this and many other countries are well supplied with cereals and can make large shipments without curtailing the domestic supply.

It will take years to build up Europe's meat supply because much of the stock was slaughtered by the invaders. Transportation is a problem and in some places, notably Holland, much fertile land has been ruined.

America has shown during the war years that a people can do wonders in increasing their production under handicaps and, with V-E day coming in late spring, there is still time for the people of Europe to do much toward their own salvation.

Seeds and fertilizer should have No. 1 priority among the shipment of supplies abroad. One shipload of these, used with the farming efficiency for which Europeans are noted, will raise 100 shiploads of foodstuff.

If it becomes necessary to supplement this with food, Americans will be willing to share some of their own supply but first it is up to the people of the liberated lands to settle down to their own victory gardening on a scale which will be commensurate with the need for food. They will do their part. Hunger such as they have known for years is an incentive to food growing which will require no further urging.

## Time For Sweat and Toil

The blood and tears of the European war have ended but much of the sweat and toil are still ahead. No more of America's sons will die in battle on European fields, God willing, but American brains and resourcefulness and energy will still be called upon to help bring order out of the ruins.

There are conflicting national ambitions to be reconciled, there are millions to be fed, there are hordes of fanatics to be taught their responsibilities to the new world and there are problems of physical and spiritual reconstruction so gigantic that they loom as large as the problems of war.

Having been compelled against every wish and prayer of the American people to cross the seas to engage in the bloodiest war in all history, this country cannot come back to its own borders while these problems are unsolved, much as it would like to do so.

There is the war with Japan to finish. Our troops have given a magnificent account of themselves while still involved in Europe. Now that our full attention can be given to the Pacific, there will be tremendous impetus in activity there.

The serious way in which America received the glad news of V-E day proves that there is full recognition of the responsibilities which lie ahead and a determination to continue whatever effort is required not only to defeat our remaining enemy but also to face and solve the obligations which remain after the arms are laid down for the tools of a world at peace.

## Meeting The Russians

Even if the Russian delegation puts over little of the program with which it came to the San Francisco conference, the trip was eminently worthwhile from the viewpoint of good press agenting which figures prominently in the American way of life although the Russians seem to know little about it.

In its relation with the rest of the world, Russia has been almost a hermit nation, traveling only when national interest demanded and not inclined to welcome visitors excepting as they came on conducted tours to see what Russia wanted to show them.

The Russians have maintained a considerable degree of seclusion at San Francisco but from the viewpoint of publicity they have almost stolen the show. Garbo did much the same thing at the height of her cinema reign.

The words that have been spoken about Commissar Molotov and his associates have not always been favorable but at least they have brought Russia into prominence as a world power more effectively than anything else that the Russians have done, excepting of course, their magnificent accomplishments on the battlefield.

## Shellholes of Peace

Highways of the nation have been among the casualties of war. No bombs have dropped on the roads of America but they have suffered just as

surely as if an enemy had blasted them from the skies.

Roads are maintained largely by the income from automobile licenses and the tax on gasoline and these receipts have been dropping fast while manpower shortage and scarcity of materials have cut road improvements to the lowest point in many years.

Result is that the highways are in desperate need of permanent work. The state and county highway departments throughout the country have done commendable work in keeping them passable, considering all the handicaps, but the time has come when patching is inadequate. It will take a lot of permanent construction to make motoring a pleasure again in many parts of the country.

Public spending probably is inevitable when the war ends. Road building is one form of spending which comes close to giving the public its money's worth.

## From The News Files

## Forty Years Ago

The All Star bowling team defeated the Juniors of Alliance Monday evening at the Cornell alleys.

Leigh Whitney and Dr. E. J. Schwartz went to Cleveland Monday to represent the local court of Foresters at the state convention.

Mrs. C. W. Bailey of E. Green st. is in Lakeport, N. H., visiting her mother, who is seriously ill. The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rollin Heaton.

Miss Rae W. Gager and William B. Alexander will be married in the Emmanuel church in Cleveland tonight.

Mrs. Alonzo Sharp of W. Main st., who suffered a slight stroke a few days ago, is slowly recovering. Miss Ethel Switzer returned to her home at Leontia today after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ella Switzer.

Mrs. C. O. Wiler has been called to Lucas by the serious illness of her mother. Hugh Hall and Andrew Hodge left Tuesday afternoon for Youngstown where they have accepted positions with the Youngstown Bronze Co.

## Thirty Years Ago

Dr. Archibald McLean, president of the Foreign Christian society, will speak at the Christian church Sunday.

The Elite club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Carl McConner on Fair st.

Misses Susan Hilliard and Maud Walker were hostesses to the Ruth circle of the Loyal Daughters of the Christian church Wednesday evening at the Hilliard home on McKinley ave.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Weaver of Greenford were guests Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Goodman on W. Main st.

F. P. Paxson, who has been ill at his home on Ellsworth ave. for the past two weeks, is improving.

Mrs. Grant Wise is in Canton, visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Anne Redington has returned home after spending several days in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Williamina B. Dorwart has sold her home on McKinley ave. to Deane S. Kintner.

Double X club members will entertain their husbands at a supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wright on Tenth st. Thursday evening.

## Twenty Years Ago

Salem athletes placed in the first four preliminary events of the county field and track meet at Lisbon Saturday morning.

Miss Lucille Bennett, senior in the Salem High school, will be crowned queen at the May day festivities of the public schools Wednesday, May 20, at Reilly field.

Lloyd Yoder of Salem, a student at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, has been elected next year's president of the student council.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeLong and daughter of Los Angeles are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Flickinger of Garfield ave.

Mrs. W. L. Burson entertained the Success club Friday evening at her home on Garfield ave.

Hustlers class of the First Friends church, taught by William Hartz, had a coverdish dinner Thursday evening at the home of Chalmers Groves, E. Fourth st.

J. M. Ashead returned Saturday morning from Collingswood, N. J., where he attended the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. Thomas Krepps, Depot st., gave a surprise birthday party for her son, Risty, Friday evening.

## The Stars Say

For Thursday, May 10.

A FAIRLY active and propitious day is read from the predominant lunar and mutual aspects, with the more solid and worthwhile gain made from a concentration of the efforts and talents on a constructive and practical basis in which the realism of facts and figures may hold more merit than shrewd, clever and impulsive attack on precarious situations. Reason, balance and good judgment, with an eye to legal entanglements, may be of value, especially where writings, contracts and communications or documents enter.

## If It Is Your Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may anticipate a lively and busy year, in which there may be hazardous and perplexing situations, perhaps in connection with writings, publicity, new contracts or agreements challenging. Shrewd analysis, application, sound judgment and a realistic evaluation of details, facts and figures, may avert legal entanglements and promote productive ends where mere force of might may fail, inviting complexity and possible intrigue or snares. Keep matters open and above board for worthwhile and lasting returns.

A child born on this day, although inclined to be hardworking, enterprising and ambitious, may encounter complex and difficult circumstances to challenge its highest endeavors. With care it may prosper.

When there were places into which to move, May used to be the month when people judged new neighbors by the furniture that went in.

Japan and Germany have found out that two of a kind beat nothing!

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## GUARDING YOUR HEALTH

## Ailments of the Esophagus

BY HERMAN N. BUNDSEN, M.D.  
THE esophagus is the connecting passageway between the mouth and the stomach.

There are many disorders which may affect the esophagus. One of them is cancer. Cancer of the esophagus is seventh on the list in order of frequency of cancer among male persons.

It is important that this condition be detected early. A diagnosis can be made by the X-ray and by using an instrument known as an esophagoscope, which is a tube with lights that can be passed into the esophagus, making it possible to look directly into it.

There is no cure or cancer of the esophagus other than operation. X-ray or radium treatments will only partially destroy the growth. However, unless the disorder is diagnosed early with the esophagoscope and X-ray, operation cannot be successfully carried out.

Other Types  
There are other types of tumors which may occur in the esophagus, such as fatty tumors and those made up of scar tissue. In many instances, these tumors may be present without causing any symptoms, and no treatment is necessary for them. However, if they become too large, an operation for their removal may be required.

Children, as well as adults, may accidentally swallow lye or some other corrosive substance. This will burn the lining membrane of the esophagus, and when healing takes place, scar tissue forms, which contracts and narrows the opening through the esophagus. This is called a stricture.

Most of these patients can be treated successfully by passing an instrument into the esophagus to stretch or dilate the stricture.

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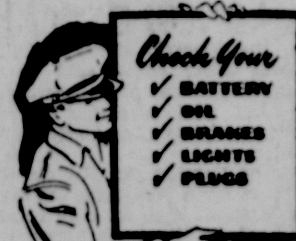
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## A SONG to REMEMBER

by Willard Wiener

### I THE PRODIGY

"It was the voice of a woman, but not shrill. It came, as it seemed from the next room. The boy at the piano sat still. His eyes were not on his keys. He was looking at the rain hitting at the window and the gray dulness of the countryside. Peasants, with heavy capes over them to protect them from the rain, were working in a nearby field, knee-deep in mud."

"Fritzen!"

"It was as though he hadn't heard it. It was as though he didn't want to hear, as though...."

Yet he was listening. He heard the pattering of the rain, and the voices of the peasants calling to one another in the field across the road from the house.

The door opened, and a woman's voice said: "Well, well, now what does this mean?"

The boy turned. He looked into the eyes of the woman, his Mamma, who was now in the doorway, smiling at him.

"Fritzen, is something wrong?"

"No, Mamma."

"Your playing suddenly stopped. I listened. Nothing. I thought, what is the matter? Is something wrong?"

"Yes, Mamma."

"Do you know your lesson?"

"Yes, Mamma."

"Ah, that is good. It is very important, Fritzen.... especially today."

"Yes, Mamma."

The woman beamed, her pride obvious. At the age of 10, the boy was already a person of note in Zelazowa Wola. Indeed, Count Skarbek, who owned the entire village and therefore the most powerful man in this section of Poland, had called one day at the cottage in person to see "the wonderful boy." And Fritzen had looked up at the great man, his back against the wall, a little scared. Then Count Skarbek offered his hand and the boy did not know what to do. The child's eyes, it seemed, were fastened on a jewel that glistered from the slender fingers of the nobleman. "Ah, you little rascal," Skarbek had said, "you'd have it now, wouldn't you?" Mamma Chopin didn't know how to apologize. She scraped and bowed. What could she say? The Count burst out laughing. "Fine grasping fingers," he said.

But it was all in good humor. No harm was done. Still, when the great man was gone Mamma Chopin had scolded the boy. She asked why he had looked so hard on the jeweled finger. "Fritzen, Fritzen," she said, "it is not for people in our station to dream of that kind of beauty and wealth." "No, no Mamma," he protested. He hadn't been thinking of that at all.

"What then?" "The loaves of bread it might buy, Mamma." Bread? What was the child saying? "The one who had nothing to do with the other," Mamma didn't say to Papa how a man in Warsaw died because he had no bread? Oh, that. But what had Count Skarbek to do with that? He had nothing whatever to do with it.

Fritzen sometimes talked a great deal of nonsense. His father, such a brilliant man, too—a school teacher—where did the boy get such ideas? There was no answer. He did not come by them through any

inheritance; that much was plain. Yet he was a good boy and that, after all, was what really counted. But more, he had a good heart, a sensitive soul. Look, how he responded to music! Did you ever see anything like it? Almost from boyhood music affected him. A melody would bring tears to his eyes. Sometimes he would actually cry. That was carrying it to extremes, of course; still it was a good sign, the best in the world. Mamma Chopin could only hope that he would learn to control himself, that he would outgrow his tears. Mamma and Papa both were very patient with him. He took early to the piano and he was encouraged in that he was in everything else. He played marvelously well. Students much older could not play half so well, and even such as master as Josef Elsner scratched his head. There was something to the boy, after all. It was because of his dexterity at the piano that Frederic Chopin as a child became a person of note in Zelazowa Wola. It was because of this renown that Count Skarbek had come in person to the Chopin cottage to hear the child play.

No one was more surprised than Monsieur and Madame Chopin, unless it was Professor Elsner, when it was soon requested that Frederic play at a public concert in Warsaw that was to be given for charity.

Professor Elsner said there was absolutely nothing to worry about. Everybody was to leave everything to him. Fritzen would be in excellent tune. "I can only hope so," Mamma Chopin had said. But of course she doubted it. The concert was then two weeks off. Fritzen must practice. He must know his lesson perfectly.

"Do you know it?" Mamma Chopin said.

"Yes, Mamma."

"Ah, that is good. Professor Elsner, you know, will soon be here and what a pity he should come this long way in the rain and mud to hear a lesson that isn't prepared."

"I know."

"Let me hear."

Fritzen took his eyes from the window, away from the slanting rain and from all that was beyond the rain, the peasants in their capes in the field and from the gray dulness all about. He looked at his music. He rested his fingers on the keys of the piano, then began to play the Mozart Sonata in C Major. His touch was sure. He played with grace and ease.

There was a violent knocking at the window.

"Look!"

Outside, flat against the pane of the window was the face of Professor Elsner.

(To be continued)

**Joseph H. Ashead Hurt**

**When Gasoline Explodes**

Electrician Mate First Class Joseph Howard Ashead of Salem, who is in a hospital in France, was severely burned about the body and had his left arm fractured in an explosion of gasoline recently. He is a Seabee and was working on a project when the accident occurred.

Letters to his wife, Bernice, of the Franklin rd. and his mother, Mrs. Sara Ashead of N. Ellsworth ave., state that he is improving.

### SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"I'm sure I didn't offend your parents, dear, with my little explanation of the purpose of social security—they look prepared to stay with us all summer!"

### DAMASCUS

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Cameron entertained at a dinner Sunday evening honoring Mrs. Shelton Harrington of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. James Cameron in observance of their birthday anniversaries.

A covered dish supper was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman Sunday evening. The event honored the 31st wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman and the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buttermore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Delzell spent the weekend in Cleveland.

**Girl Scouts Active**

The Girl Scouts collected 4,700 pounds of scrap paper in the recent drive.

Mrs. Bessie Bingham underwent an operation at the Salem City hospital Monday.

Mrs. Abbie Delzell has returned home after spending two weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Delzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Davis returned Tuesday from Lodi where they spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Yothers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Steer accompanied Robert Champion and Mrs. Jack Williams of Berlin Center to Maple Heights Sunday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Price.

Miss Jane Sampson, who is employed in Columbus, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Park Sampson. Miss Rita Greenstein, who spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Greenstein, returned to Columbus.

Moisten the table top before putting down waxed paper when rolling dough. This will prevent the paper from slipping.

If you can't find salt pork for your baked beans try sliced frankfurters or Polish or Italian sausage instead.

**REWARD**

Tons of scraps of fat trimmed from meat and left on plates are carelessly thrown away. Melt them down, pour into your fat salvage can; and turn it in at your butcher's. 2 red points' reward for each pound.

Remember, it's not just the easy amounts of fat from frying bacon and such that count. Every single drop is wanted to help our country make war- and home-front essentials.

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**With An Ice-Mint Treat**

Don't let tired, burning sensitive feet steal energy and make the hours seem longer. Rub on a little Ice-Mint and feel the blissfully cool and soothing sensation of comfort that follows, as this frosty-white medicinal cream goes to work driving out fiery burning and aching tiredness. Grand, too, to help soften up painful corns and callouses. So don't delay—get foot happy today the Ice-Mint way. At all drug stores.

**Do You Know**

**HOW TO SHAVE?**

MANY MEN shave all their lives, yet never learn how! They simply smear a little lather or brushless cream on their face, grab a razor, and shave. Result: scratch, scrape, pull—an irritated skin—an unsatisfactory shave—and much unflattering comment about blade, razor, soap or whatever!

TO SHAVE PROPERLY, the first requirement is adequate preparation. Wash your face thoroughly with hot water and ordinary soap to remove the grit, oil and perspiration that ordinarily coats the face, and to soften the hair. Use good hot water—the time required for proper softening decreases rapidly, the hotter your water is. Then rinse the face thoroughly.

Now apply a good shaving soap (rubbing the lather in well with fingertips) or, if you prefer, a brushless cream. These preparations further emulsify the natural oil of the skin and permit the hairs to be wet more thoroughly. Allow from two to three minutes, or even longer for these simple tasks, and your shave will be quicker, easier, and more satisfactory.

So men, prepare your face properly, use plenty of time and water, get yourself some of those hollow ground blades and—learn to make shaving a pleasanter, easier task.

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### ORDNANCE CHIEF CITES TASK AHEAD

Col. E. A. Lynn, chief of the Cleveland ordnance division, characterized announcement of cessation of organized German resistance as marking only the attainment of a way, along the hard road to final peace and security.

The head of ordnance procurement in the 55 northwestern counties of Ohio and three in Pennsylvania, stated that persons who consider our overall struggle as nearly won are in for a cruel awakening as military operations in the Far East are further unfolded.

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**Lady Nearly Choked Due to Stomach Gas**

One lady said she used to be afraid to go to bed. She was swollen with stomach gas and the gas would rise up in her throat after she lay down and would nearly choke her. Had to prop herself up on pillows to breathe. Recently this lady got ERB-HELP and now says gas is gone, stomach feels fine, bowels are regular and she can sleep soundly.

ERB-HELP contains 12 Great Herbs; so don't go on suffering! Get this new medicine. — Lease Drug Store.

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**New Cases**

R. Evelyn Miller, Canton, vs. Michael Miller. Action, Divorce on grounds of gross neglect.

Duella Pennell Cavanaugh, Salem, vs. Richard Cavanaugh. Divorce on grounds of gross neglect.

Samuel A. Simon, admr. estate of Howard Joseph Simon, deceased, East Palestine, vs. Continental Transportation Line, Inc. & Dale Kimmel. Action, money, \$10,000.

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## Barn Dance Is Planned By Polo Club

The Salem Saddle and Polo club will hold its fourth annual Barn Dance Saturday evening, June 16, at the Salem Golf club.

Preliminary plans for the event were made at a dinner meeting of the club last night at the Lape hotel.

Music is to be provided by Woody Woodell's Riding Rangers from Sharon, Pa. Dancing will be from 8 until 12.

Committees will be announced soon by Ralph Phillips, polo club president.

## Kindergarten Teacher Speaks To Club

Mrs. Robert Dunn, kindergarten teacher, was guest speaker at a meeting of the Progressive Mothers club last night at the home of Mrs. Richard Wilson on Maple st., where Mrs. Ray Dean served as hostess.

Mrs. Dunn discussed the habits and accomplishments of the preschool child. She said stepping stones to school are: To develop obedience; order and neatness; concentration, originality and imagination; and to prepare them for new experiences.

The speaker gave seven habits listed by teachers that children should have before entering school. A child should know his name and address, be able to go and come from school alone, put on and remove outside wraps, and understand and carry out simple directions, talk plainly and play well with other children, and be able to take care of his own toilet needs. A discussion period followed the talk. The hostess served refreshments.

A meeting on May 22 will be at the home of Mrs. Harold Shears on W. Sixth st., with Mrs. Dana Floding leader.

## Theresa Mae Hillis, Robert Thomas Engaged

The engagement of Miss Theresa Mae Hillis and S. M. 2/c Robert Leroy Thomas of Berlin Center was revealed when Miss Gerry Fickes entertained parents and friends of the couple recently at her home on E. Third st.

Fifteen guests were seated at a beautifully appointed table with a turquoise centerpiece filled with blue ribbons and streamers leading to each plate. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. W. F. Wickes and Mrs. W. L. Thomas.

The bride-elect, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hillis of Berlin Center, was graduated from the Berlin Center High school in 1938. Mr. Thomas is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas of Berlin Center. He was graduated from Penn State college in 1938. In 1941 he enlisted in the navy and is with the USS J. Franklin Bell somewhere in the South Pacific.

The wedding date will be announced later.

## Twenty-Seven Attend Group 7 Meeting

With 27 members in attendance Group 7 of the Women's society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met last night at the church. There were two visitors.

Miss Eleanor McMurray, president, was in charge of the business session. Mrs. Leta Gibson led devotions.

Mrs. Harold Smith was program chairman. The study subject was "Southeast Asia" and articles relating to it were read by Mrs. Harry Lora, Mrs. Russell Moore and Mrs. Dorothy Ward.

Lunch was served by Mrs. E. W. Goodbalet, Miss McMurray, Mrs. F. C. Trol and Mrs. Herbert Dow.

## Shirley Ann Hilliard Honored On Birthday

Mrs. Perry Hilliard of the Franklin rd. entertained recently at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Charles Cosma, on Shirley st. in honor of her daughter, Shirley Ann's 11th birthday anniversary. There were 15 guests.

Games and contest prizes were won by Nancy Scullion, Beverly Huffman and Phyllis Flick.

The honoree was presented gifts, including a large birthday cake from her cousin, Miss Catherine Youtz. Lunch was served and the favors were small baskets filled with candy.

Mrs. Hilliard was assisted by Miss Youtz and Mrs. Cosma.

## Westminster Fellowship Elects Officers

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Water were hosts to the Westminster Fellowship of the Presbyterian church Monday evening at their home on Highland ave.

Officers named for the ensuing year are: President, Albert Kenneigh, Jr.; vice president, Billie Ann Finley; secretary-treasurer, Doris Floyd; program chairman, Donna Finley.

Refreshments were served and Mrs. Walter was assisted by her sister, Miss Wilma Mary Zeigler, of North Lima.

## Mrs. Allen Entertains Bowling Team

Mrs. Gordon Allen was hostess at an enjoyable party Tuesday evening when she entertained the Deming Girls Bowling team at her home on the Damascus rd.

Cards and games furnished entertainment. Lunch was served. The table was set with a lace cloth and ornamented with candles.

## Catholic Daughters To Meet Thursday

The Catholic Daughters of America will meet at 8:15 p. m. Thursday in K. of C. hall for election of officers.

## Book Club's May Party Is Held At Library

Mrs. J. A. Scott gave a talk on "Chinaware" and augmented it by exhibiting some pieces from her own collection at the May party held by the Book club Monday afternoon at the library assembly room.

Mrs. Cyde Dole arranged the program. The members arranged a dessert luncheon preceding the talk. The national colors were favored in the table decorations. The table was set with a white cloth and the centerpiece was a floral arrangement in red, white and blue. The hospitality committee was in charge and Mrs. S. D. Whinnery and Mrs. Robert Simpson poured.

Thomas Holzbach played a trombone solo, "The Song of India," accompanied by Ann Helm.

Mrs. L. P. Koenreich, president-elect, announced her committees for the 1945-46 season, as follows:

Program—Mrs. G. E. Votaw, Mrs. J. A. Fehr and Mrs. J. C. Pottorf.

Music—Mrs. J. Raymond Silver, Mrs. E. S. Vincent and Mrs. Robert Talbot.

Hospitality—Mrs. Ralph Long, Mrs. C. V. Williams, Mrs. A. J. McDonald, Mrs. H. D. Huttenhower and Mrs. Howard McDonald.

Place—Miss Caroline Hole, Mrs. W. D. King and Mrs. Willis Hole.

Finance—Mrs. C. D. Wernet, Mrs. Irving Megraill and Mrs. Frank Brudery.

Mrs. G. E. Votaw, program chairman, announced the subject for next year which is, "The Home Front in the Post-War Era."

Two members were received, Mrs. Gertrude Stewart and Mrs. Earl Beattie.

The club will hold its annual Guest Night party May 21 with Rev. Russell J. Humberg, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, Youngstown, guest speaker.

## Mother-Daughter Party Is Held By Class

Miss Ethel Beck of Alliance, formerly of Salem, gave a devotional talk at the annual Mother-Daughter party of the Loyal Women's class of the Christian church last night at Perry grange hall, Franklin rd.

The tables were decorated with spring flowers and places were arranged for 80 guests.

There was a period of meditation and prayer, led by Mrs. Ross Clay, in observance of V-E day.

Mrs. Ross D. Painter, program chairman, announced the numbers, which were as follows: Prayer, Miss Addie Bonsall; welcome to daughters, Mrs. Jesse Beck; response, Mrs. Robert Loefer; piano solos, Mrs. Gladys Mayhew; vocal solos, Mrs. Glenn Davis; story, Mrs. Charles Cornwall; Mrs. Cora Schwartz, the oldest mother in attendance, was presented a potted plant. The youngest mother, Mrs. Earl Shasteen, and the youngest daughter, Virginia Courtney, aged four, also were presented flowers by the president, Mrs. J. B. Engel.

The next meeting of the class is scheduled for June 12.

## Two Women Honored At Birthday Party

Mrs. Anna Green and Miss Mary Lesch were honored at a party last night at the home of Mrs. Charles Tausch on Prospect st., the affair celebrating their birthday anniversaries.

There were 30 guests. The evening was enjoyed informally. Lunch was served and there was a large decorated birthday cake. Mrs. Green and Miss Lesch were presented gifts. Out-of-town guests were from Leetonia.

## Jean Firestone Weds Ensign Wm. Haifley

Miss Jean Firestone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Firestone of Lisbon, and Ensign William Haifley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Haifley of Columbus, formerly of Salem, were married Saturday afternoon in Lisbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Haifley were among the guests at the wedding.

## Marriage Licenses

Bernard Ried Schopfer, Homeworth, war worker, and Opal Irene Walker, Homeworth.

Staff Sgt. Wayne Rozeski, who spent more than three years in the South Pacific and is now stationed at Camp Atterbury, Ind., has arrived to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rozeski, of W. State st.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pike of Cleveland st., have this new address for their son: Harold E. Pike, S 2/c, 286-17-38, Draft No. 5673, from Shoemaker care fleet postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.

Seaman Second Class Jack Smith, who spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Smith of Hawley ave., has this new address: Jack Smith, S 2/c, Receiving Station, Navy Yard, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Sergt. Glen A. Shasteen, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shasteen, 830 Franklin ave., has completed intensive training as a crew member of a B-29 Superfortress at Davis-Monthan field, Tucson, Ariz., and soon go overseas to aerial combat service.

Sergt. Shasteen, radio operator on a Superfort, has been taught his crew position by overseas veteran instructors. He entered the service in December, 1943. He is a graduate of Salem High school, class of 1940, and was employed as an electric welder before joining the Air Corps. His wife, Eleanor, resides on the Franklin road.

Five Salem men are receiving their initial Naval indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training center, Great Lakes, Ill. They are: Raymond A. Kelly, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kelly, 750 Fifth st.; James J. Cope, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cope, Depot rd.; Lowell E. Hoprich, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoprich, Pine Lake rd.; William R. Ingledue, 18, son of Mr. Ray Ingledue, 760 E. Fifth st.; and David P. Atkinson, 17, son of Jess S. Atkinson, 296 1/2 S. Broadway.

Dick Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jordan of R. D. 1, Hanoverton, will leave tomorrow for Great Lakes, Ill., to begin navy training.

## Judge Orders Sheriff Be Available For Jury Duty

LISBON, May 9.—Common Pleas Judge Joel H. Sharp has ordered Sheriff George Hayes to remain in the county during future grand jury sessions or in lieu thereof to leave a competent deputy in charge.

The court's action is an aftermath of the recent grand jury investigation when the sheriff absented himself from the county, making a trip to Arizona at the time to return William Flory, who has been accused of robbing the Farm Bureau Co-operative offices in Lisbon.

Hayes had been summoned to appear before the jury at its gambling inquiry but was not available until the final day of the session.

In another special entry of the day Sharp ordered 100 names to be drawn for jury duty and began laying plans to conduct criminal trials beginning May 14.

## 4-H Club News

Just Rites

The Just Elite 4-H club met recently at the home of Franklin Henderson, Depot rd. Project books were distributed by the leader, Mrs. L. F. Coffee. The club plans to observe Rural Life Sunday by attending a service at the Winona Methodist church after its next session.

The meeting at that time will be held at the home of Jack Vincent R. D. 3, Salem.

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"The sword" is not Christ's way to peace he explained. "Renew the prayer, 'Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in Heaven'."

Mayor R. R. Johnson gave brief remarks fitting to the occasion. Mrs. Ross Clark sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Anna Cooke. Selections were given by the Old Timers band which is managed by Leo Copacia with Ralph Sturgeon, director.



# Barn Dance Is Planned By Polo Club

The Salem Saddle and Polo club will hold its fourth annual Barn Dance Saturday evening, June 16, at the Salem Golf club.

Preliminary plans for the event were made at a dinner meeting of the club last night at the Lape hotel.

Music is to be provided by Woody Woodell's Riding Rangers from Sharon, Pa. Dancing will be from 8 until 12.

Committees will be announced soon by Ralph Phillips, polo club president.

## Kindergarten Teacher Speaks To Club

Mrs. Robert Dunn, kindergarten teacher, was guest speaker at a meeting of the Progressive Mothers club last night at the home of Mrs. Richard Wilson on Maple st. where Mrs. Ray Dean served as hostess.

Mrs. Dunn discussed the habits and accomplishments of the preschool child. She said stepping stones to school are: To develop obedience, order and neatness, concentration, originality and imagination, and to prepare them for new experiences.

The speaker gave seven habits listed by teachers that children should have before entering school. A child should know his name and address, be able to go and come from school alone, put on and remove outside wraps, and understand and carry out simple directions; talk plainly and play well with other children, and be able to take care of his own toilet needs. A discussion period followed the talk.

The hostess served refreshments. A meeting on May 22 will be at the home of Mrs. Harold Shears on W. Sixth st., with Mrs. Dana Floding leader.

## Theresa Mae Hillis, Robert Thomas Engaged

The engagement of Miss Theresa Mae Hillis and S. M. 2/c Robert Leroy Thomas of Berlin Center was revealed when Miss Gerry Fickes entertained parents and friends of the couple recently at her home on E. Third st.

Fifteen guests were seated at a beautifully appointed table with a mirrored centerpiece filled with tiny envelopes tied in clusters of blue ribbons and streamers leading to each place. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. W. W. Fickes and Mrs. W. L. Thomas.

The bride-elect, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hillis of Berlin Center, was graduated from the Berlin Center High school in 1938.

Mr. Thomas is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas of Berlin Center. He was graduated from Penn State college in 1938. In 1941 he enlisted in the navy and is with the USS J. Franklin Bell somewhere in the South Pacific.

The wedding date will be announced later.

## Twenty-Seven Attend Group 7 Meeting

With 27 members in attendance Group 7 of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met last night at the church. There were two visitors.

Miss Eleanor McMurray, president, was in charge of the business session. Miss Leta Gibson led devotions.

Mrs. Harold Smith was program chairman. The study subject was "Southeast Asia" and articles relating to it were read by Mrs. Harry Lora. Mrs. Russell Moore and Mrs. Dorothy Ward.

Lunch was served by Mrs. E. W. Goodballet, Miss McMurray, Mrs. F. C. Trol and Mrs. Herbert Dow.

Shirley Ann Hilliard Honored On Birthday

Mrs. Perry Hilliard of the Franklin rd. entertained recently at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Charles Cosma, on Perry st. in honor of her daughter, Shirley Ann's 11th birthday anniversary. There were 15 guests.

Games and contest prizes were won by Nancy Scullion, Beverly Huffman and Phyllis Fick.

The honoree was presented gifts, including a large birthday cake from her cousin, Miss Catherine Youtz. Lunch was served and the favors were small baskets filled with candy.

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## Westminster Fellowship Elects Officers

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Walter were hosts to the Westminster Fellowship of the Presbyterian church Monday evening at their home on Highland ave.

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Mrs. Allen Entertains Bowling Team

Mrs. Jordon Allen was hostess at an enjoyable party Tuesday evening when the entertained the Deming Girls Bowling team at her home on the Damascus rd.

Cards and games furnished entertainment. Lunch was served. The table was set with a lace cloth and ornamented with candles.

Catholic Daughters To Meet Thursday

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## Book Club's May Party Is Held At Library

Mrs. J. A. Scott gave a talk on "Chautauque" and augmented it by exhibiting some pieces from her own collection at the May party held by the Book club Monday afternoon at the library assembly room.

Mrs. Cyde Dole arranged the program.

The members arranged a dessert luncheon preceding the talk. The national colors were favored in the table decorations. The table was set with a white cloth and the centerpiece was a floral arrangement in red, white and blue. The hospitality committee was in charge and Mrs. S. D. Whinnery and Mrs. Robert Simpson poured.

Thomas Holzbach played a trombone solo, "The Song of India," accompanied by Ann Helm.

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The next meeting of the class is scheduled for June 12.

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Mrs. Anna Green and Miss Mary Leach were honored at a party last night at the home of Mrs. Charles Tausch on Prospect st., the affair celebrating their birthday anniversaries.

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Peggy Baltimore, Martha Cain, Jack Haldeman, Kathryn Lippert, Violet Nye, Barbara Ross, Donna Steffer, Buddy Youtz, Patty Allison, Jimmy Bryan, George Coddington, Mary Hollinger, Janet Lehman, Bob Martin, Carol Smith, Janet Stoudt, Marilyn Miller, Patty Pasco, Phyllis Fick, Shirley Ann Miller.

Jerry Bergman, Dorothy Davis, Lewis Landfried, Beale Manning, Jack Oesch, Mariene Shepard, Gerry Van Hovel, Phyllis Weber, Billy Baker, Eddie Butcher, Judy DeJare, Jimmy Hurlbut, Jack Lepper, Patsy Rinehart, Dale Spooner, Phyllis Workman, Alberta Nannah, Beatrice Rufer, Nancy Harvey.

## HOMEWORTH

Tech. Sergt. Kenneth Wymer of Hunter field, Ga., is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wymer.

Corp. Charles Willard is home on a 21-day furlough after serving 30 months overseas with a Quartermaster Corps unit in Africa, Sicily, Italy, India and China.

Corp. Elvin Wallace of Fort Meade, Md., spent the weekend with relatives.

Mrs. Lowell Heestand has received word that her husband, Pvt. Lowell Heestand, has arrived in the Philippine Islands.

Corp. John Frigyes, who is stationed at Camp Rucker, Ala., who was called here by the death of his wife, Mrs. Grace Zwick Frigyes, will remain here for a few days. Funeral services for Mrs. Frigyes were held at St. Joseph's Catholic church in Alliance Monday morning. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Nick Halmasy is visiting her husband at Fort Monmouth.

Recent guests of Mrs. Rena Thomas were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cassidy of Cleveland; Alvin Graubner of Salineville; Mrs. Earl Thomas of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Thomas of Alliance.

The mothers present, sixty-five attended.

Mrs. Sally Sloes is visiting relatives in Selma.

## With District Men In The Service

Pfc. Gordon F. Bennett, husband of Mrs. Nance Gibbs Bennett, 367 S. Lincoln ave., has been promoted to sergeant with 16th Infantry battalion, 13th Armored division in Germany.

He has participated in the battle of the Ruhr pocket. Sergt. Bennett is assistant leader of a rifle squad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pike of Cleveland st., have this new address for their son, Harold E. Pike, S 2/c, 285-17-38, Draft No. 5673, from Shoemaker, care fleet postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.

Seaman Second Class Jack Smith, who spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Smith of Hawley ave., has this new address: Jack Smith, S 2/c, Receiving Station, Navy Yard, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Groener of Damascus rd. have received this new address for their son: T 5 Kenneth E. Groener, 3593/688, 3152 Eng. Maint. Det., APO 18851, care postmaster, New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Tice of Franklin st. have received word that their son, Pfc. Irwin Dean Tice, was presented the Purple Heart for a severe injury to his right hand. He was awarded the Combat Infantry badge several months ago.

Pfc. Tice is stationed at the headquarters of the fighting 69th division in the First army which recently was first to greet Russians in Germany.

Sergt. Glen A. Shasteen, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shasteen, 830 Franklin ave., has completed intensive training as a crew member of a B-29 Superfortress at Davis-Monthan field, Tucson, Ariz., will soon go overseas to aerial combat service.

Sergt. Shasteen, radio operator on a Superfort, has been taught his crew position by overseas veteran instructors. He entered the service in December, 1943. He is a graduate of Salem High school, class of 1940, and was employed as an electric welder before joining the Air Corps. His wife, Eleanor, resides on the Franklin road.

Five Salem men are receiving their initial Naval indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training center, Great Lakes, Ill. They are: Raymond A. Kelly, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kelly, 750 Fifth st.; James F. Cope, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cope, Depot rd.; Lowell E. Hoprich, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoprich, Pine Lake rd.; William R. Ingledue, 18, son of Mr. Ray Ingledue, 760 E. Fifth st.; and David P. Atkinson, 17, son of Jess S. Atkinson, 290 1/2 S. Broadway.

Dick Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jordan of R. D. 1, Hanoverton, will leave tomorrow for Great Lakes, Ill., to begin navy training.

## Judge Orders Sheriff Be Available For Jury Duty

LISBON, May 9.—Common Pleas Judge Joel H. Sharp has ordered Sheriff George Hayes to remain in the county during future grand jury sessions or in lieu thereof to leave a competent deputy in charge.

The court's action is an aftermath of the recent grand jury investigation when the sheriff absented himself from the county, making a trip to Arizona at the time to return William Flory, who has been accused of robbing the Farm Bureau Co-operative offices in Lisbon.

Hayes had been summoned to appear before the jury at its gambling inquiry but was not available until the final day of the session.

In another special entry of the day Sharp ordered 100 names to be drawn for jury duty and began laying plans to conduct criminal trials beginning May 14.

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## HIGH SCHOOL

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hope of a lasting peace. "When you ask for victory, ask in the name of Christ," he advised. "Go back to your homes and pray—take up the cross, but not the sword." "The sword" is not Christ's way to peace he explained. "Renew the prayer, 'Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in Heaven'."

Mayor R. R. Johnson gave brief remarks fitting to the occasion. Mrs. Ross Clark sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Anna Cooke. Selections were given by the Old Timers band which is managed by Leo Copacia with Ralph Sturgeon, director.

Duane Yeagley, high school junior, gave Lincoln's Gettysburg address and "Taps" in memory of those who paid the extreme sacrifice, were sounded by Capt. Robert Barton of the Salvation Army.

Capt. Barton also led the singing of two hymns, "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Dr. James Scott, pastor of the Methodist church, gave the opening prayer, and Dr. R. D. Walter, pastor of the Presbyterian church, pronounced the benediction.

The color guard from Charles H. Carey post No. 58, American Legion, was composed of Lee Hollinger, C. R. Haldi, E. J. Rich, Oscar Marietta and Charles Seckel.

R. S. McCulloch, committee chairman, presided and announced the program. Others on the committee were: Rev. R. E. Mosher, president of the Salem Ministerial association, E. S. Kerr, superintendent of schools, and Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, secretary of the Salem business bureau.

## V-E DAY SERVICE HELD IN LEETONIA

LEETONIA, May 9.—A community V-E day program was held Tuesday evening in the high school auditorium.

Members of the Joe Williams post, American Legion, C. J. Stewart commander, were in charge. Acting Mayor Clarence Barnes welcomed the citizens of the community. C. E. Holt, Sr., general manager of the Leetonia Tool Co., Supt. of Schools P. R. Narragon, ministers of the various churches gave short talks.

Music was furnished by the High school band under the direction of Miss Zaslama.

Pvt. and Mrs. John Young are the parents of a son born Saturday at the Salem City hospital. Mrs. Young is the former Kathryn Cook. Pvt. Young is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla.

Lieut. Glenn Otto, Ft. Sumner, N. M., is spending a 21-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Otto.

Mrs. Nellie Conrad has been advised that her son Harold, has been promoted from the rank of major to that of lieutenant colonel and has been transferred to a new assignment. Dr. Conrad is serving his fifth year in active duty, four of which have been in foreign service. His wife resides at Tiffin.

## 4-H Club News

Just Rites

The Just Rite 4-H club met recently at the home of Franklin Henderson, Depot rd. Project books were distributed by the leader, Mrs. L. P. Coffee. The club plans to observe Rural Life Sunday by attending a service at the Winona Methodist church after its next session. The meeting at that time will be held at the home of Jack Vincent, R. D. 3, Salem.

## IT'S CONTAGIOUS!

## Miss Gaston Is Bride Of Corporal Montgomery

COLUMBIANA, May 9 — Miss Norma A. Gaston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gaston, Fairfield ave., became the bride of Corp. Oscar L. Montgomery, USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Montgomery of Lisbon, at a lovely home wedding Sunday afternoon at the Gaston home. Rev. Waldo Bartels, pastor of the Grace Reformed church, heard the exchange of vows at the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a street length dress of powder blue crepe with a corsage of white roses. Miss Nan Frances Treadwell was bridesmaid. Howard Gaston, Jr., was best man.

Following the ceremony, a buffet supper was served. The table was centered with a tiered wedding cake, white candles and lily of the valley. The bride and groom left for a short wedding trip.

Mrs. Montgomery is a graduate of Columbian High school, class of 1944, and has been employed in the office of the National Rubber Machine Co. The groom attended Lisbon High school and has been in the Marines four and one half years. He has just returned from 26 months in the Pacific.

Herbert C. Nolan was elected chairman of the board of trustees of the Presbyterian church at an organization meeting at the church Monday evening. Russell J. Barrow is the retiring chairman. Lawrence McVey, was re-elected secretary.

## EAST GOSHEN

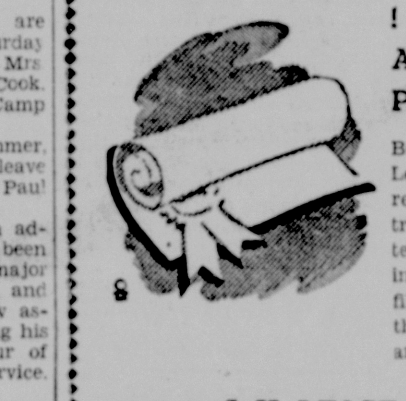
Delegates appointed to attend the Friends Quarterly meeting at Be- loit Friday and Saturday are Mrs. Eli Phillips, Mrs. Melvin Wilcox and J. G. Pim.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Phillips and Mrs. Marguerite Siegenthaler of Alliance, and Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Phillips and Mrs. Luella Phillips of Damascus were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Malmesberry.

Mrs. Alice Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ray of Minerva visited Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pim Sunday.

Charles Cattell made a business trip to Salem Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riley and Mrs. Harold Talbott of Salem visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Malmesberry



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 "Speak louder—I can't hear yuh."*

***Sure, Bill—speak louder. Celebrate louder, America!***

You'll have to, to be heard above the bloody gurgles of the men who are dying at this very moment of our day of "Victory"... the ghostly whispers, mighty in volume, of the men who died not to kill one nation but to kill all tyranny.

Today our great fight is but half won.

Japan, our final and most dangerous enemy, still lives.

Japan still boasts an army of 4,000,000 fanatical, last-ditch fighters, with half again that many in reserve.

Japan's huge, ill-gotten wealth of Empire is still essentially intact.

Japan still hates our guts.

Today we can, if we choose, start breaking faith with those who died. We can go on a fool's orgy, get drunk on our success so far.

Or we can, if we choose, pray for our dead, and for the lives of those who have so far been spared. We can stay on the job, buy another War Bond, give a pint of blood. We can choke back our cheers... and save our wind for the mighty task that lies ahead.

Today is but the symbol of the many days to come.

What are you going to do with these days?

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# St. Louis Rocks Washington In Eastern Opener; Tribe Wins

## RED EMBREE'S VICTORY GOOD NEWS TO CLUB

**Boudreau's New Freshman Hurler Nice Game To Set Sox Down 7-1**

(Associated Press Sports Writer) St. Louis greeted the Eastern visitors like long lost brothers today after the overdue Browns rocked Washington 7-1, in the first inter-sectional tilt of the season.

It was against the brethren from the Atlantic seaboard that Luke Sewell's 1944 "Cinderella Gang" clinched the American league flag a year ago and Sportsman's park customers were hoping the new edition could pull out of the second division in the long home stand ahead.

Nelson Potter, the ace in the hole who was the "stopper" for the Browns last season, turned in his best job of the season with a brilliant three-hitter.

Rookie Outfielder Boris Martin, counted heavily in Sewell's winter plans off his 250 season in Toledo, finally began to come through with a single, double and triple off Johnny Niggeling and Reliefer Al Carrasquel.

**Tribe Hurler Wins** Red Embree, another promising Freshman who had failed to hit the win circle, finally made it in pitching Cleveland to a 7-1 decision over the League-Leading Chicago White Sox. He beat Orval Grove.

Felix Mackiewicz, another Oriole product, backed a two run round tripper that started Grove to his doom.

Cincinnati's night tilt with the New York Giants was washed out but rescheduled for tonight and Skipper Bill McKechnie announced he was benching Shortstop Kermit Wahl for Walt Flager, up from Birmingham.

Philadelphia, St. Louis and Boston took advantage of the off day to plug lineup gaps. The Phils sent Outfielder Buster Adams back to the Cards again for two infielders, Shortstop Glenn Crawford and Third Baseman John Antonelli, thus apparently forecasting the removal of Jimmy Fox and Wes Hamner from the lineup. The Braves acquired Veteran Left-hander Bob Logan from Indianapolis for Pitcher Ben Cardoni, Infielder Ben Geraghty and two others to be named later.

## O'CONNOR TERMED AID TO BASEBALL CZAR; WILL REMAIN

**Baseball Players Hoping Assistant Will Stay: Is "Their Friend"**

By CHIP ROYAL

NEW YORK—Now that baseball has settled on its commissioner for the next seven years, all the diamond followers and players are wondering what's going to become of Leslie M. O'Connor.

You see Leslie is the man who was the late Judge Landis' secretary for 24 years, and the one who supervised most of the office transactions.

Shortly after Happy Chandler was named baseball's boss, he was asked about his plans for O'Connor. The new czar said he hoped Leslie would remain on the job.

Well, so do most of the ball-players and everyone else connected with the game. O'Connor knows the score the way it helps baseball. As a matter of fact, even Landis admitted that Leslie did about 97 per cent of the work in the office.

Most of the time in the commissioner's office is spent at task clerical in nature. It means keeping up-to-date 28,720 cards of every active professional baseball player from the bushes to the majors.

**100,000 Cards On File** All told there are about 100,000 cards on file in the commissioner's office awaiting Chandler's attention. When an entry hasn't been made on a player's card in five years, it is relegated to the inactive file.

O'Connor has got the cards so that each one lists the complete history of a player. They contain 18 categories in which an entry can be made, including acceptance terms, contracts, releases, suspensions, ineligibility, voluntary retirements and free agents, etc.

Bookkeeping includes checking of transfers for wording and legality, duration of waivers, and previous status in optional deals.

**Wrote Most Decisions** The commissioner, himself, is supposed to investigate and render decisions in player claims against clubs. He also has to be sure that the free agents' rights are protected.

O'Connor did most of this work for Landis. He wrote most of the judge's legal decisions. In fact, it was a decision he authored 24 years ago, supposed to be one of Landis' best, that got Leslie his present job.

Another reason why O'Connor should be kept on the job, and a very important one, is that he has the respect of the players. The fellows know Leslie is on their side.

Chandler should make a great commissioner, and he'll add to his popularity if he keeps O'Connor by his side. The office needs both of them.

## Inspiration to Wounded



Working out with Senators and Yankees, Lt. Bert R. Shepard has demonstrated that a man can play baseball well even though his right leg is amputated below the knee. Shepard, who was a minor league pitcher sought by the White Sox, was wounded on his 34th mission over Berlin.

## NEIMAN'S CROUCH MAY EXPLAIN HIS NEW FOUND HITS

**Manager Bob Coleman says Team's Leading Hitter Loves Left-handers**

(By Associated Press) BOSTON, May 9—It could be his new crouch that has changed Butch Neiman, the Boston Braves' rangy outfielder, into a 400 hitter but the consensus is that he doesn't meet so many capable southpaws in the National league these days.

During his two previous seasons with the Tribe, Neiman, who stamped himself as a most dependable clutch hitter from the time of his purchase from the Elmira Eastern League club, was regarded as a very soft touch for left-handers, especially the side-arm variety.

"I guess Butch is hitting southpaws nowadays because we use him against them," Manager Bob Coleman explained. "It's true that he hasn't seen many capable ones so far but I'm not concerned about that. There are not too many of them in the league."

**Stoop Helps** Coleman, however, is certain that Neiman's new batting stance has helped him. "He stoops over now and that enables him to follow the ball much better. The Phillies used a couple of left-handers against us and Butch belted them hard."

Now in the hottest hitting streak of his eight-year career in organized baseball, Neiman can be depended upon to fatten his slugging average for at least the next two weeks. The Braves have a 13-game stand against the Western clubs on their own premises and the Wigwam's spacious right field stand is an easy target for Butch, who takes a terrific cut at the ball from the left side of the plate.

So far this season, Neiman has bashed out four homers.

## Improves With Age



After 50 years of competition Willie Hoppe, left, Old Boy Wonder and many-time cue czar, continues to break records as he battles Walker Cochran, present title-holder, in transcontinental three-cushion world-championship match.

## HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE					NATIONAL LEAGUE				
Club	G	W	L	Pct.	Club	G	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	13	9	4	.692	New York	16	12	4	.750
New York	13	10	3	.692	Brooklyn	15	9	6	.600
Detroit	14	9	5	.643	Chicago	14	8	6	.571
Washington	18	9	9	.500	St. Louis	14	8	6	.571
Philadelphia	16	7	9	.438	Boston	15	7	8	.467
St. Louis	14	6	8	.429	Cincinnati	13	6	7	.462
Boston	16	6	10	.375	Pittsburgh	15	6	9	.400
Cleveland	14	4	10	.286	Philadelphia	16	3	13	.188

**Yesterday's Results**  
Cleveland 7, Chicago 1.  
St. Louis 7, Washington 1.  
Only game scheduled.

**Games Today and Tomorrow**  
Cleveland vs Boston, League Park.  
3 p. m.  
Washington at St. Louis.  
New York at Detroit.  
Philadelphia at Chicago.

**Yesterday's Results**  
Cincinnati at New York, rain.  
Only game scheduled.

**Games Today and Tomorrow**  
Cincinnati at New York, night game tonight.  
St. Louis at Brooklyn, night game tomorrow.  
Pittsburgh at Boston.  
Chicago at Philadelphia.

## Major League Leaders

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Batting—Stephens, St. Louis, .389.  
Runs—Case, Washington, 15.  
Runs batted in—Derry, New York, 15.

Hits—Binks and Case, Washington, 23.  
Home runs—Derry, New York, 4.  
Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 10.

Pitching — Benton, Detroit, and Borowy, New York, 4-0.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Batting—Olmo, Brooklyn, .409.  
Runs—Ott, New York, 20.  
Runs batted in—Lombardi, New York, 20.  
Hits—Rucker, New York, 27.  
Home runs — Lombardi, New York, 5.  
Stolen bases — McCormick, Cincinnati, 5.  
Pitching—Voiselle, New York, and Derringer, Chicago, 4-0.

## LOUISVILLE MEET SLATED TONIGHT

Salem High's trackmen will meet Louisville in a dual affair at Reilly stadium at 7:30 tonight. Coach Fred Cope announced yesterday after the meet had been postponed because of V-E day celebrations.

The starter for the meet will be Wayne Greunan of Struthers High school. A portion of the meet will be staged under the lights.

**YESTERDAY'S STARS**  
Felix Mackiewicz, Indians—Hit first Cleveland homer of season in 7-1 romp over Chicago.  
Nelson Potter, Browns — Held Washington to three hits, one single up to ninth inning, in St. Louis, 7-1 triumph.

## "JITTERY" JOE BERRY, RELIEF MAN, IS AFRAID OF BUSH LEAGUE ANTICS

By AL VERMEER

NEW YORK—Joe Berry is a capsule-sized man of 145 pounds, drawing close to his 40th birthday. He is still a little surprised to find himself in the major leagues, for Jittery Joe spent 17 years in the minors through the country, long ago forgot dreams of big-time fame.

A war came along, however, and there was need for pitchers and suddenly this little man from the Arkansas hill country found himself in the livery of the Athletics.

Berry at last realizes his most ambitious hopes and Connie Mack has one of the best relief flingers. Last season Berry won 10 games, saved 11 for Mr. Mack. It is a rare man who can figure in 21 triumphs for the A's these days.

During all those seasons in the minors Berry developed bad habits — habits which big-league people call bush. Worst of these faults can be traced to an incident which happened in the Cotton States League 16 years ago. Joe saw a runner edge too far off second base. He dashed at the runner, who didn't know whether to break for third or return to second. Joe jabbed the ball into the man's ribs, nailed him flatfooted and ever since he has been tempted to chase runners on the paths.

**Knows It's Wrong** "I keep telling myself they don't do those things in the big leagues," confesses Joe, "but every once in a while the urge overcomes me. I feel very foolish galloping around the infield like that. But sometimes it works. Once I caught Johnny Lindell of the Yanks. Another time I trapped Earl Averill out on the Pacific coast. He just jumped around with his mouth open while I stalked him just without throwing the ball. But just the same I wish I wouldn't do it."

Berry lives in constant fear that he may repeat a stunt he pulled in the Western League. Angered by a bad decision, he dashed past the plate umpire, ran to the grandstand and climbed up the screen like a chimpanzee, screaming and screaming. Players coaxed him down from the top of the grandstand.

**Likes Relief Work** Berry shudders to think what folks would say if he ever does that in the American League.



Berry is one of those rare hurlers who would rather work as a relief pitcher than as a regular starter. He delights in straightening out a botched job. Last season he labored in 53 games, never grew weary, sometimes went to work without a single warm-up.

Jittery Joe suspects his right arm is made of rubber.

Berry reached his crest on the last day of the 1944 season when he relieved in a double-header against Cleveland, won both games and gave the Athletics a tie for fifth. He gained his greatest personal satisfaction in St. Louis when he came to the rescue of Bobo Newsom in the ninth, bags loaded and one out. Joe fanned two men, saved Newsom's ball game.

When he walked into the clubhouse Connie Mack stood before him, took off his hat and said: "Young man, I would like to shake hands with you!"

Berry gulped, shook hands. "That was the thrill of my life," says Jittery Joe Berry. "Made me feel good 'way down inside."

## SINCLAIR, CHINA SCHEDULE GAME

The Salem China Co. and the Sinclair softball teams will clash in a practice game at the field adjoining Reilly stadium at 6 p. m. Thursday. Acting Manager Bruce Cope said today.

All players from both squads are urged to report to the field by 6 so that the game can get under way on time. Cope is acting manager in the absence of John Ehrhart, who is in South Carolina visiting his son, now in the Marines.

## SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

**Thursday**  
6—Sinclair vs China (at field adjoining Reilly).

**Saturday**  
Mickey McGuire League  
Columbia vs St. Paul's.  
Fourth st. vs Reilly.  
Prospect vs McKinley.

## IT'S CONTAGIOUS!

## BOWLING NEWS

### QUAKER CITY LEAGUE

**Final Standings**

Club	Won	Lost
Salem Bowling Center	64	32
Sponsellers	64	32
Albrights	59	37
Howdy's	55	41
Lape Hotel	55	41
Althouse	54	42
Silver Bar	51	45
Gold Bar	48	48
Wards	46	50
Ohio Bell	39	57
Schafers	39	57
Bloombergs	38	58
Coy's	34	62
Famous	26	70

**High Averages**

J. Armstrong	178.5
M. Miller	172.5
C. Huffer	171.7
R. Smith	171.1
R. Gregg	170.6
G. Whinnery	169.9
V. Willis	168.4
A. Shinn	165.8
J. Balta	165.2
F. Reese	164.2
E. Daugherty	163.3
E. Grate	163.2
A. Brelth	162.9
W. Sponseller	162.2
W. Dennis	162.1

**Team High Match**

Sponsellers	2744
Althouse	2706
Albrights	2645
Salem Bowling Center	2621
Silver Bar	2618

**Team High Game**

Althouse	992
Silver Bar	958
Sponsellers	954
Salem Bowling Center	935

**Individual High Match**

J. Armstrong	652
R. Smith	641
J. Balta	630
R. Parsons	618
C. Huffer	614

**Individual High Game**

J. Balta	256
R. Parsons	253
C. Huffer	247

**QUAKER CITY LEAGUE**

**BOWLING CENTER**

Smith	174	170	177	521
Balita	151	164	190	505
Fredricks	170	173	169	503
Bodendorfer	174	204	170	548
Dennis	173	140	189	502
Handicap	2	2	2	6

**Totals**

844	833	888	2585
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Harroff	148	170	174	492
Haessly	141	178	146	465
Willis	145	168	144	457
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Drake	201	145	148	504
Keller	124	140	133	397
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Benson	146	126	179	451

**Totals**

823	734	849	2406
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**FAMOUS**

O. Geller	116	121	116	353
R. Homan	132	121	130	383
J. Kuenzli	127	95	105	327
C. Poorbaugh	165	149	169	463
C. Beals	118	114	178	412
Handicap	21	21	21	63

**Totals**

679	621	719	2019
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**ALBRIGHTS**

Miller	155	192	142	489
Tackson	143	156	155	454
Albright	133	122	161	416
Shinn	147	183	193	523
Huffer	185	170	213	568

**Totals**

763	823	864	2450
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**GOLD BAR**

Ellis	136	144	163	443
Youtz	155	185	122	462
Daugherty	138	122	119	378
Tressler	123	202	117	442
Reese	138	188	151	477
Handicap	11	11	11	33

**Totals**

701	852	683	2236
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**BLOOMBERGS**

Hawkins	189	135	132	456
Frothy	129	132	157	438
Kline	140	175	183	498
Davis	178	114	142	434
Carlisle	198	171	155	524

**Totals**

834	747	768	2349
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## SPORT CHATTER

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

NEW YORK, May 9—When the University of Kentucky basketball team beat Marquette on a last-second basket from mid-court a few years ago, Baseball Commissioner Happy Chandler, then Governor of Kentucky, drove a spike into the floor to mark the spot from which the winning shot was fired.

Any gags about what he'll have to spike in baseball are his own responsibility. Those tearful golfers in the recent Salt Lake City amateur tournament were not mourning missed putts. The Nibley park course has lots of box elder trees and the tourney had lots of hay fever victims.

**ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE**

When the Richmond Colts opened their Piedmont league season, Dick Rutherford saw his 38th straight opening game in Richmond. The only years Dick has missed have been when Richmond didn't have a pro club. Joe Tepsic, a veteran of Guadalcanal and a Penn State Freshman under the G. I. bill, is tabbed by Coach Joe Bedenk as just about the best-looking prospect he ever has had. Joe McCarthy took two of his Yankee coaches to a Boston art gallery the other day to see some winter landscapes by Aldro Thompson Hibbard. Joe didn't explain whether it was because Artist Hibbard had a tryout with the White Sox in 1907 or because he wanted his guys to see just how the opposition should be snowed under.

**SERVICE DEPT.**

The Eastern Flying Training command plans to have another big football team based at Maxwell field, Ala., next fall and is working on a 10 or 11-game schedule. . . . Sgt. Don Schiffer, who helped stage the show, picks as the standouts of the recent United Kingdom Boxing tourney: Sgt. Ray Wyzkiewicz, Buffalo, N. Y.; Bantam Pfc. Herbie Williams, New Orleans lightweight, and Corp. Bill Wright, Youngstown, O., welter. Wyzkiewicz upset Vince Padilla of the Eighth Air force, who had won about everything in sight.

## Bowling Schedule

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT**



# St. Louis Rocks Washington In Eastern Opener; Tribe Wins

## RED EMBREE'S VICTORY GOOD NEWS TO CLUB

**Boudreau's New Freshman Hurls Nice Game To Set Sox Down 7-1**

(Associated Press Sports Writer) St. Louis greeted the Eastern visitors like long lost brothers today after the overdue Browns rocked Washington 7-1 in the first inter-sectional tilt of the season.

It was against the brethren from the Atlantic seaboard that Luke Sewell's 1944 "Cinderella Gang" clinched the American league flag a year ago and Sportsman's park customers were hoping the new edition could pull out of the second division in the long home stand ahead.

Nelson Potter, the ace in the hole who was the "stopper" for the Browns last season, turned in his best job of the season with a brilliant three-hitter.

Rookie Outfielder Boris Martin, counted heavily in Sewell's winter plans off his 350 season in Toledo, finally began to come through with a single, double and triple off Johnny Niggeling and Reliefer Al Carrasquel.

Tribe Hurler Wins Red Embree, another promising Freshman who had failed to hit the win circle, finally made it in pitching Cleveland to a 7-1 decision over the League-Leading Chicago White Sox. He beat Orval Grove.

Felix Mackiewicz, another Oriole product, belted a two run round tripper that started Grove to his doom.

Cincinnati's night tilt with the New York Giants was washed out but rescheduled for tonight and Skipper Bill McKechnie announced he was benching Shortstopper Kermit Wahl for Walt Flager, up from Birmingham.

Philadelphia, St. Louis and Boston took advantage of the off day to plug lineup gaps. The Phils sent Outfielder Buster Adams back to the Cards again for two infielders. Shortstop Glenn Crawford and Third Baseman John Antonelli, thus apparently forestalling the removal of Jimmy Fox and Wes Hamner from the lineup. The Braves acquired Veteran Leftfielder Bob Logan from Indianapolis for Pitcher Ben Cardoni, Infielder Ben Geraghty and two others to be named later.

## O'CONNOR TERMED AID TO BASEBALL CZAR; WILL REMAIN

**Baseball Players Hoping Assistant Will Stay; Is "Their Friend"**

NEW YORK—Now that baseball has settled on its commissioner for the next seven years, all the diamond followers and players are wondering what's going to become of Leslie M. O'Connor.

You see Leslie is the man who was the late Judge Landis' secretary for 24 years, and the one who supervised most of the office transactions. Shortly after Happy Chandler was named baseball's big boss, he was asked about his plans for O'Connor. The new czar said he hoped Leslie would remain on the job.

Well, so do most of the ball-players, and everyone else connected with the game. O'Connor knows the score the way it helps baseball. As a matter of fact, even Landis admitted that Leslie did about 97 per cent of the work in the office.

Most of the time in the commissioner's office is spent at task clerical in nature. It means keeping up-to-date 28,720 cards of every active professional baseball player from the bushes to the majors.

100,000 Cards On File All told there are about 100,000 cards on file in the commissioner's office awaiting Chandler's attention. When an entry hasn't been made on a player's card in five years, it is relegated to the inactive file.

O'Connor has got the cards so that each one lists the complete history of a player. They contain 18 categories in which an entry can be made, including acceptance terms, contracts, releases, suspensions, ineffectiveness, voluntary retirements and free agents, etc.

Bookkeeping includes checking of transfers for wording and legality, duration of waivers, and previous status in optional deals.

Wrote Most Decisions The commissioner, himself, is supposed to investigate and render decisions in player claims against clubs. He also has to be sure that the free agents' rights are protected.

O'Connor did most of this work for Landis. He wrote most of the judge's legal decisions. In fact, it was a decision he authored 24 years ago, supposed to be one of Landis' best, that got Leslie his present job.

Another reason why O'Connor should be kept on the job, and a very important one, is that he has the respect of the players. The fellows know Leslie is on their side.

Chandler should make a great commissioner, and he'll add to his popularity if he keeps O'Connor by his side. The office needs both of them.

## Inspiration to Wounded



Working out with Senators and Yankees, Lt. Bert R. Shepard has demonstrated that a man can play baseball well even though his right leg is amputated below the knee. Shepard, who was a minor league pitcher sought by the White Sox, was wounded on his 34th mission over Berlin.

## NEIMAN'S CROUCH MAY EXPLAIN HIS NEW FOUND HITS

**Manager Bob Coleman says Team's Leading Hitter Loves Left-handers**

(By Associated Press) BOSTON, May 9—It could be his new crouch that has changed Butch Neiman, the Boston Braves' rangy outfielder, into a 400 hitter but the consensus is that he doesn't meet so many capable southpaws in the National league these days.

During his two previous seasons with the Tribe, Neiman, who stamped himself as a most dependable clutch hitter from the time of his purchase from the Elmira Eastern League club, was regarded as a very soft touch for left-handers, especially the side-arm variety.

"I guess Butch is hitting southpaws nowadays because we use him against them," Manager Bob Coleman explained. "It's true that he hasn't seen many capable ones so far but I'm not concerned about that. There are not too many of them in the league."

### Stoop Helps

Coleman, however, is certain that Neiman's new batting stance has helped him. "He stoops over now and that enables him to follow the ball much better. The Philles used a couple of left-handers against us and Butch belted them hard."

Now in the hottest hitting streak of his eight-year career in organized baseball, Neiman can be depended upon to fatten his slugging average for at least the next two weeks. The Braves have a 13-game stand against the Western clubs on their own premises and the Wigwam's spacious right field stand is an easy target for Butch, who takes a terrific cut at the ball from the left side of the plate.

So far this season, Neiman has bashed out four homers.

## BOWLING NEWS

### QUAKER CITY LEAGUE

#### Final Standings

Club	Won	Lost
Salem Bowling Center	64	32
Sponsellers	64	32
Albrights	59	37
Howdy's	55	41
Lape Hotel	55	41
Althouse	54	42
Silver Bar	51	45
Gold Bar	48	48
Wards	46	50
Ohio Bell	39	57
Schafers	39	57
Bloombergs	38	58
Coy's	34	62
Famous	26	70

#### High Averages

J. Armstrong	178.5
M. Miller	172.5
C. Huffer	171.7
R. Smith	171.1
R. Gregg	170.6
G. Whinnery	169.9
V. Willis	168.4
A. Shinn	165.8
J. Balta	165.2
F. Reese	164.2
E. Daugherty	163.3
E. Grate	163.2
A. Breihl	162.9
W. Sponseller	162.2
W. Dennis	162.1

#### Team High Match

Sponsellers	2744
Althouse	2706
Albrights	2645
Salem Bowling Center	2621
Silver Bar	2618

#### Team High Game

Althouse	992
Silver Bar	954
Sponsellers	935
Salem Bowling Center	933

#### Individual High Match

J. Armstrong	652
R. Smith	641
J. Balta	630
R. Parsons	618
C. Huffer	614

#### Individual High Game

J. Balta	256
R. Parsons	253
C. Huffer	247

### QUAKER CITY LEAGUE

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Oertel	136	132	170	438
Earley	121	132	129	382
Dickson	129	125	144	398
Totals	690	669	727	2086

### WARDS

Brown	165	191	155	511
Kozar	165	147	134	446
Warner	121	178	162	461
Ward	156	165	163	484
Crawford	142	138	132	412
Handicap	5	5	5	15
Totals	754	824	751	2329

### SCHAFERS

Hess	135	148	153	436
Maxwell	164	126	155	445
Cope	141	142	141	424
Wilson	162	149	167	478
Blind	121	138	134	393
Totals	723	703	750	2176

### HOWDYS

L. Owens	198	160	178	536
D. Kope	150	157	186	493
D. Fowler	162	151	150	463
A. Meier	146	159	145	450
H. Fowler	173	178	156	507
Totals	829	805	815	2449

### LAPE

F. Brian	132	177	141	450
Munsell	140	136	133	409
Beattie	149	158	174	481
A. Brian	166	166	125	457
Ward	161	211	168	540
Handicap	27	27	27	71
Totals	787	885	768	2440

### Bowling Schedule

#### WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Women's Commercial League 6:45—Chicks vs Laundry, Kaddettes vs Murphys. 9:00—Bottlers vs Sponseller; Bowling Center vs Hainans.

#### FRIDAY NIGHT

Washingtonville League Sohio vs B. & G.; Elite vs Sponseller; Hillsdale vs Canfield; Sigle vs Eaton; Tavern vs Howdy; Crescent vs Motor X.

#### Adrian Women's League

Eagles vs Endres; Coy vs Haldi; Finney vs Salem Eng.; Electric Furnace vs Deming; Damascus vs Bowling Center; Moose Aux. vs Moose Lodge.

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#### Wright Field Wins Again

DAYTON, May 9—Wright Field Kittyhawks defeated Lockbourne Army air base flyers, 6 to 4, in a baseball game here yesterday. It was the Flyers' fourth straight loss.

## Improves With Age



After 50 years of competition Willie Hoppe, left, Old Joe Wonder and many-time cue czar, continues to break records as he battles Walker Cochran, present title-holder, in transcontinental three-cushion world-championship match.

## HOW THEY STAND

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	9	4	.692
Chicago	15	10	5	.667
Detroit	14	9	5	.643
Washington	18	9	9	.500
Philadelphia	16	7	9	.438
St. Louis	14	6	8	.429
Boston	16	6	10	.375
Cleveland	14	4	10	.286

### Yesterday's Results

Cleveland 7, Chicago 1.  
St. Louis 7, Washington 1.  
Only game scheduled.

### Games Today and Tomorrow

Cleveland vs Boston, League Park, 3 p. m.  
Washington at St. Louis.  
New York at Detroit.  
Philadelphia at Chicago.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	16	12	4	.750
Brooklyn	15	9	6	.600
Chicago	14	8	6	.571
St. Louis	14	8	6	.571
Boston	15	7	8	.467
Cincinnati	13	6	7	.462
Pittsburgh	15	6	9	.400
Philadelphia	16	3	13	.188

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Cincinnati at New York, rain.  
Only game scheduled.

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Cincinnati at New York, night game tonight.  
St. Louis at Brooklyn, night game tomorrow.  
Pittsburgh at Boston.  
Chicago at Philadelphia.

## Major League Leaders

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting—Stephens, St. Louis, .389.  
Runs—Case, Washington, 15.  
Runs batted in—Derry, New York, 15.  
Hits—Binks and Case, Washington, 23.  
Home runs—Derry, New York, 4.  
Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 10.  
Pitching—Benton, Detroit, and Borowy, New York, 4-0.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Olmo, Brooklyn, .409.  
Runs—Ott, New York, 20.  
Runs batted in—Lombardi, New York, 20.  
Hits—Rucker, New York, 27.  
Home runs—Lombardi, New York, 5.  
Stolen bases—McCormick, Cincinnati, 5.  
Pitching—Voiselle, New York, and Derringer, Chicago, 4-0.

## LOUISVILLE MEET SLATED TONIGHT

Salem High's trackmen will meet Louisville in a dual affair at Reilly stadium at 7:30 tonight. Coach Fred Cope announced yesterday after the meet had been postponed because of V-E day celebrations. The starter for the meet will be Wayne Grennan of Struthers High School. A portion of the meet will be staged under the lights.

## YESTERDAY'S STARS

Felix Mackiewicz, Indians—Hit first Cleveland homer of season in 7-







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### About Town

#### City Hospital Notes

**Admissions:**  
For surgical treatment—Mrs. Paul E. Deemer of Deerfield, Robert Gilson of East Palestine, Mrs. Burt L. Weaver of Diamond. For medical treatment—Mrs. Elwood R. Culp of Canfield, Joe Bozzo of East Palestine.

**Returning home:**  
Mrs. Ernest Tullis and daughter of Leetonia.  
Elmer Boals, 414 Jennings ave.

#### Recent Births

At Salem City hospital:  
A daughter today to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Karcher of Columbiana.  
A daughter today to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lehman of Columbiana.

#### Musical Program Enjoyed

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor presented a program of piano duets and solos at the meeting of the Rotary club Tuesday noon in the Memorial building. Rev. H. A. Barrett, pastor of the Church of Our Saviour gave a talk in recognition of V-E day. W. H. Matthews was program chairman.

#### Judge Kiwanis Speaker

John C. Nichols, presiding judge of the Seventh district Court of Appeals, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Kiwanis club at noon Thursday in the Memorial building. Ralph Atkinson is the program chairman.

#### Ascension Day Mass

Masses on the Feast of the Ascension Thursday will be held at 5:30, 7, 8, and 9:30 a. m., at St. Paul's Catholic church. Confessions will be received this evening after the Novena devotions.

#### Lions Enjoy Outing

An old-fashioned box social was enjoyed by members of the Lions club and their wives Tuesday evening at the home of Emery DeMer at Damascus. Games provided entertainment.

#### Choir To Practice

The Emmanuel Lutheran choir will hold a social meeting and practice at the home of Miss Catherine Bahmiller, 422 Sharp ave., at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

#### Episcopal Service

The Church of Our Saviour will observe Ascension day with a communion service at 10 a. m. Thursday, and special thanksgiving for the victory in Europe.

#### Methodist Choir

There will be no rehearsal of the Junior choir of the Methodist church Thursday evening. The senior choir rehearsal will be at 8 instead of 7:30.

#### Cycle Blaze Halted

Firemen extinguished a blaze which damaged a motorcycle belonging to Robert Shimer, R. D. 5, Salem, on the Millville hill at 8:16 p. m. yesterday.

#### Plan School Election

High school students will nominate candidates for Association officers in home rooms today. Election will be held Friday.

#### Grange Meets Earlier

Willow Grove grange will hold a meeting Thursday evening at the hall, Georgetown rd., instead of Friday.

#### Junior Saxons To Meet

The Salem Junior Saxons will elect officers at a meeting at 8 tonight at the Saxon hall.

#### Scout Council Meeting

The Girl Scout council will meet at 9:30 p. m. Thursday in the Memorial building.

### MARKETS

#### SALEM PRODUCE

(Wholesale Prices)  
Fancy eggs, 29c to 35c doz.  
Butter, 40c to 45c lb.  
Apples, \$1 to \$2 bu.  
Green onions, 65c doz. bunches.  
Rhubarb, 90c a dozen one lb. bchs.  
Asparagus, 25c lb.

#### SALEM GRAIN

(Prices Paid at Mill)  
New oats, 82c bu.  
Wheat, \$1.60 bu.  
Corn \$1.18 bu.

#### DAMASCUS

**Livestock Quotations**  
Hogs—Receipts 173 hd; 140-180, 14.70; 180-350, 14.70; sows, 13.95.  
Calves—Receipts, 256 hd; choice, 18.30; good, 16.50-18; medium, 12-16.50; common, 6-12.  
Cattle—Receipts, 146 hd; steers, medium 12-14.60; common 10-12.  
Heifers—Good 14.50-16.10; medium, 12-14.50; common, 9-12.  
Cows—Good 12-13.20; medium, 8.50-11; common 6-8.50.  
Bulks—Butcher 12-13.50; bologna 10-12.

#### TREASURY RECEIPTS

WASHINGTON, May 9. — Position of Treasury May 7:  
Net balance \$10,524,822.263.27.

### RECONVERSION

(Continued from Page 1)

card holders and it may be possible to increase the mileage of B-card holders who can show need.

He predicted the total number of persons thrown out of employment by Germany's surrender probably will not exceed more than two to two and a half millions at the end of the next 12 months, as compared with a present total of about 1,000,000.

"There will be severe local unemployment problems, side by side with actual manpower shortages in areas where war production remains at a high peak," he said. "Strict manpower controls will continue to be necessary."

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### Score One for Us



HITTING THE SILK after his plane was blown to bits by anti-aircraft fire from a U. S. Pacific fleet carrier, this Jap pilot shows he prefers death from old age to giving all for the emperor. Below him his "Judy" plane plunges to a watery grave. U. S. Navy photo. (International)

### OBITUARY

#### SHIRLEY IRENE ODEY

Shirley Irene Odey, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Odey, R. D. 3, Alliance, died at the Salem Clinic at 1:30 p. m. yesterday following two weeks' illness of pneumonia.

She was born in Salem, Aug. 4, 1944.

Surviving besides her parents, are a sister, Janice Louise and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sheely of Alliance, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Odey of Beloit.

Funeral service will be held at the Stark Memorial at 2 p. m. Friday. Burial will be in the Fairmont Memorial park in Alliance.

Friends may call at the Memorial Thursday evening.

#### MRS. ELLA KERR

COLUMBIANA, May 9.—Mrs. Ella Kerr, 91, formerly of Columbiana, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Wagner, in Sebring at 12:15 p. m. Tuesday.

Born in Columbiana county, May 21, 1854, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Baird. Her first husband, William Altkoffer, died Jan. 15, 1892. Her second husband, Robert Kerr, died March 13, 1929.

She was a member of the New Waterford Methodist church and the Columbiana G. A. R. auxiliary.

Surviving, besides her daughter, is a son, Charles Altkoffer of East Palestine.

Funeral service will be held at 2 p. m. Friday at the Warwick funeral home in charge of Rev. Walter C. Eyster. Burial will be in the Columbiana cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p. m.

#### MARTIN PEPPEL

LEETONIA, May 9.—Martin Peppel, 88, a lifelong resident here, died at the home of his grandson, Galet Peppel, three miles south of Leetonia on the Grafton road, at 1 a. m. today.

He was born at Franklin Square Sept. 22, 1856, the son of Simon and Dorothy Peppel. His wife, Amanda, and a son, Homer, preceded him in death.

Also surviving are another grandson, Herbert, of East Liverpool, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral service will be held at the Woods funeral home at 2 p. m. Friday, in charge of Rev. Carl Bornum, pastor of the St. Jacob's Reformed church. Burial will be in Oakdale cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p. m. Thursday.

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**Admissions:**  
For surgical treatment—Mrs. Paul E. Deemer of Deerfield, Robert Gilson of East Palestine. Mrs. Burt L. Weaver of Diamond. For medical treatment—Mrs. Elwood R. Culp of Canfield, Joe Bozzo of East Palestine.

**Returning home:**  
Mrs. Ernest Tullis and daughter of Leontia. Elmer Boals, 414 Jennings ave.

#### Recent Births

At Salem City hospital:  
A daughter today to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Karcher of Columbiana. A daughter today to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lehman of Columbiana.

#### Musical Program Enjoyed

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor presented a program of piano duets and solos at the meeting of the Rotary club Tuesday noon in the Memorial building. Rev. H. A. Barrett, pastor of the Church of Our Saviour gave a talk in recognition of V-E day. W. H. Matthews was program chairman.

#### Judge Kiwanis Speaker

John C. Nichols, presiding judge of the Seventh district Court of Appeals, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Kiwanis club at noon Thursday in the Memorial building. Ralph Atkinson is the program chairman.

#### Ascension Day Mass

Masses on the Feast of the Ascension Thursday will be held at 5:30, 7, 8, and 9:30 a. m., at St. Paul's Catholic church. Confessions will be received this evening after the Novena devotions.

#### Lions Enjoy Outing

An old-fashioned box social was enjoyed by members of the Lions club and their wives Tuesday evening at the home of Emery DeMer at Damascus. Games provided entertainment.

#### Choir To Practice

The Emmanuel Lutheran choir will hold a social meeting and practice at the home of Miss Catherine Bahmiller, 422 Sharp ave., at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

#### Episcopal Service

The Church of Our Saviour will observe Ascension day with a communion service at 10 a. m. Thursday, and special thanksgiving for the victory in Europe.

#### Methodist Choir

There will be no rehearsal of the Junior choir of the Methodist church Thursday evening. The senior choir rehearsal will be at 8 instead of 7:30.

#### 'Cycle Blaze Halted

Firemen extinguished a blaze which damaged a motorcycle belonging to Robert Shimer, R. D. 5, Salem, on the Millville hill at 8:16 p. m. yesterday.

#### Plan School Election

High school students will nominate candidates for Association officers in home rooms today. Election will be held Friday.

#### Grange Meets Earlier

Willow Grove grange will hold a meeting Thursday evening at the hall, Georgetown rd., instead of Friday.

#### Junior Saxons To Meet

The Salem Junior Saxons will elect officers at a meeting at 8 to-night at the Saxon hall.

#### Scout Council Meeting

The Girl Scout council will meet at 9:30 a. m. Thursday in the Memorial building.

### MARKETS

#### SALEM PRODUCE (Wholesale Prices)

Fancy eggs, 29c to 35c doz.  
Butter, 40c to 45c lb.  
Apples, \$1 to \$2 bu.  
Green onions, 65c doz. bunches.  
Rhubarb, 90c a dozen one lb. bchs.  
Asparagus, 25c lb.

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Wheat, \$1.60 bu.  
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#### DAMASCUS Livestock Quotations

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#### TREASURY RECEIPTS

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HITTING THE SILK after his plane was blown to bits by anti-aircraft fire from a U. S. Pacific fleet carrier, this Jap pilot shows he prefers death from old age to giving all for the emperor. Below him his 'Judy' plane plunges to a watery grave. U. S. Navy photo. (International)

### OBITUARY

#### SHIRLEY IRENE ODEY

Shirley Irene Odey, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Odey, R. D. 3, Alliance, died at the Salem Clinic at 1:30 p. m. yesterday following two weeks' illness of pneumonia.

She was born in Salem, Aug. 4, 1944.

Surviving besides her parents, are a sister, Janice Louise and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sheely of Alliance, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Odey of Beloit.

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